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Startling Revelations.

GERMAN PLOT TO LINK JAPAN AND MEXICO IN ALLIANCE OF WAR AGAINST AMERICA.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

WASHINGTON, Feb. 28.—The Associated Press is enabled to reveal that Germany, in planning unrestricted submarine warfare and counting its consequences, proposed an alliance with Mexico and Japan to make war on the United States, if this country should not remain neutral. Japan, through Mexican mediation, was to be urged to abandon her allies and join in the attack on the United States. Mexico, for reward, was to receive general financial support from Germany, reconquer Texas, New Mexico and Arizona—lost provinces—and share in the victorious peace terms Germany contemplated.

Details were left to German Minister Von Eckhardt, in Mexico City, who by instructions signed by German Foreign Minister Zimmermann at Berlin, January 19, 1917, was directed to propose the alliance with Mexico to Gen. Carranza, and suggest that Mexico seek to bring Japan into the plot.

These instructions were transmitted to Von Eckhardt through Count von Bernstorff, former German Ambassador here, now on his way home to Germany under a safe conduct obtained from his enemies by the country against which he was plotting war.

Germany pictured to Mexico by broad intimation, England and the Entente Allies defeated; Germany and her allies triumphant and in world domination by the instrument of unrestricted warfare.

COPY OF GERMAN INSTRUCTIONS.

Copy of Zimmerman's instructions to Von Eckhardt, sent through Von Bernstorff, is in possession of the United States government. It is as follows:

"BERLIN, Jan. 19, 1917.—On the 1st of February we intend to begin submarine warfare unrestricted. In spite of this, it is our intention to endeavor to keep neutral the United States of America. If this attempt is not successful, we propose an alliance on the following basis with Mexico:

"That we shall make war together and together make peace. We shall give general financial support and it is understood that Mexico is to reconquer the lost territory in New Mexico, Texas and Arizona. The details are left to you for settlement.

"You are instructed to inform the President of Mexico of the above in the greatest confidence as soon as it is certain that there will be an outbreak of war with the United States and suggest that the President of Mexico, on his own initiative, should communicate with Japan, suggesting adherence at once to this plan; at the same time offer to mediate between Germany and Japan.

"Please call to the attention of the President of Mexico that the employment of ruthless submarine warfare now promises to compel England to make peace in a few months.

[Signed] "ZIMMERMANN."

GOVERNMENT HAS THE DOCUMENT.

This document has been in the hands of the government since President Wilson broke off diplomatic relations with Germany. It has been kept secret, while the President has been asking Congress for full authority to deal with Germany, and while Congress has been hesitating. It was in the President's hands while Chancellor von Bethmann-Hollweg was declaring that the United States had placed an interpretation on the submarine declaration "never intended by Germany," and that Germany had promoted and honored friendly relations with the United States "as an heirloom from Frederick the Great." Of itself, if there were no other, it is considered a sufficient answer to the German Chancellor's plaint that the United States "brusquely" broke off relations without giving "authenfic" reasons for its action.

The document supplies the missing link to many separate chains of circumstances, which until now have seemed to lead to no definite point. It sheds new light upon the frequently-reported but undefinable movements of the Mexican government to couple its situation with the friction between the United States and Japan. It adds another chapter to the celebrated report of Jules Cambon, French Ambassador in Berlin before the war, of Germany's worldwide plans for stirring strife on every continent where they might aid her in the struggle for world domination which Germany dreamed was close at hand. It adds a climax to the operations of Count von Bernstorff and the German Embassy in this country, which have been colored with passport frauds, charges of dynamite plots and intrigue, the full extent of which never has been published.

SUBMARINE BASES IN MEXICO.

It gives new credence to persistent reports of submarine bases on Mexican territory in the Gulf of Mexico; it takes cognizance of a fact long recognized by American army chiefs, that if Japan ever undertook to invade the United States it probably would be through Mexico, over the border and into the Mississippi Valley to split the country in two. It recalls that Count von Bernstorff when handed his passports was very reluctant to return to Germany, but expressed a preference for asylum in Cuba. It gives a new explanation to the repeated arrests on the border of men charged by American military authorities with being German intelligence agents.

Last of all, it seems to show a connection with Gen. Carranza's recent proposal to neutrals that exports of food and munitions to the Entente Allies be cut off and an intimation that he might stop the supply of oil, so vital to the British navy, which is exported from the Tampico fields.

What Congress will do, and how members of Congress who openly have sympathized with Germany in their opposition to clothing the President with full authority to protect American rights will regard the revelations of Germany's machinations to attack the United States, is the subject tonight of the keenest interest.

Such a proposal as Germany instructed her Minister to make to Mexico borders on an act of war, if, actually, it is not one.

No doubt exists here now that the persistent reports during the last two years of the operations of German agents not alone in Mexico, but all through Central America and the West Indies are based on fact.

There is now no doubt whatever that the proposed alliance with Mexico was known to high Mexican officials who are distinguished

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THE WORLD'S NEWS IN TODAY'S TIMES.

The Foremost Events of Yesterday: (1) German Plot Revealed. (2) Congress. (3) The Prohibition Movement. (4) The California Legislature. (5) Mexico. (6) Japan. (7) The Famine.

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SUMMARY.

THE SKY. Clear. Wind at 5 p. m., southwest; velocity 10 miles. Thermometer, highest, 65 deg.; lowest, 44 deg. Forecast: Fair Thursday; frost survey in places Thursday morning. For complete weather report see last page of Part I.

THE CITY. Three thousand persons cheered the Los Angeles plan of national defense at the Shrine Auditorium meeting.

Bright colors and extreme modes will mark the spring styles, according to the Fashion Show, which opens this morning.

A local editor sued a bride and groom both for breach of promise to wed him; he asks $10,000.

Relatives in the East of "Prince" Schrader, dead "divine healer," have not answered communications as to the disposition of the body, and it will be buried by the government.

SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA. Legal tangle pops up in the fight of the elders of the Nazarene church for control of property.

Kelp boats enter the Point Firmin fields for the first time in three months and expect to reap a rich harvest.

PACIFIC SLOPE. State Railroad Commission worried about its jobs; would lose excuse for existence if proposed Federal law passes.

"Dummies" buying food for British and allies contribute to high cost of citizens.

KEEP TO READING. It is a mistake to forget at the wrong conclusion that all the greater part of the news important enough to be found on the first page, is carried forward to it. Consult the INDEX and the Summary, then read the entire articles on pages—and those get all the news of the day.

GENERAL EASTERN. Health and food experts in New York say prunes are the best of food.

Car Commission says car shortage is less acute throughout East and Middle West.

WASHINGTON. Senator La Follette began a filibuster in the Senate on the armed neutrality bill.

The drys passed the bill for prohibition in the District of Columbia.

MEXICO. Carranza troops are gaining the ascendancy in Northern Mexico.

The report that Villa is dead is denied below the border.

THE GREAT WAR. The Situation to Date: Small engagements and artillery duels are reported in the Austro-Italian and Macedonian theaters.

Big quantities of supplies were captured by the British in the rout of the Turks at Kut-el-Amara.

COMMENT ON THE SITUATION.

On both sides of the Ancre River in France the British forces continue to make progress. North of the stream the important village of Gommecourt and the village of Puisieux-au-mont and the trench system near them have been captured, while south of the river the forces, which previously had taken Ligny, pushed eastward and occupied Thilly, about a mile southwest of Bapaume and a trench at Sailly-Saillisel. The capture of Gommecourt was followed by the driving of the British line 1000 yards northeast of that place. Whether the Germans offered resistance on any of these sectors is not stated by the British official communication. On the remainder of the front in France and Belgium minor attacks and artillery duels continue. Near Clery, Arras and Lens successful raids were carried out by the British and a German raid northeast of Armentieres was repulsed. Comparative quiet prevails in Russia and Galicia. Along the northwestern frontier of Rumania, in the Jacobeni-Kimpolung sector, the Teutons have captured several hill positions from the Russians and taken more than 1300 prisoners. Petrograd, in admitting the loss of the positions, says that a counter-attack gave the Russians possession of one of the positions.

Indications are coming from Mexico that Carranza troops are gaining the ascendancy over Villa in the northern part of Mexico. Gen. Murguia is said to have driven a large number of Villistas into the mountains. Reports of Villa's death are denied below the border.

House and Senate Stand by the President, but La Follette Delays Armed Neutrality.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

WASHINGTON, March 1.—Senator La Follette began a single-handed filibuster against the armed neutrality bill when the Senate reconvened at 12:55 o'clock this morning, after a recess of ten minutes, following passage of the revenue bill.

Senator Stone, chairman of the Foreign Relations Committee, sought unanimous consent to dispense with parliamentary formalities, in order to get formally before the Senate the armed neutrality measure reported by the committee, which would authorize the President to arm American ships and employ "other instrumentalities" to protect American life and rights on the sea.

Prompt objection came from Senator La Follette, who insisted on consuming time reading the journal of previous days over the vigorous objection of Senators Fall and Poindexter, Republicans.

Finally the Wisconsin Senator was induced to withdraw his objection on condition that there should be no attempt to pass the bill before Friday. When Democratic leaders agreed to this, the committee presented the bill with a favorable report and Senator Stone asked that it lay over until Friday.

Then the Senate adjourned until 10 o'clock this (Thursday) morning, the majority abandoning plans for taking up the naval appropriation bill.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 28.—Opposition in Congress to granting President Wilson authority to protect American rights and lives on sea began melting today and the administration leaders confidently predicted action within another twenty-four hours.

There were indications that many of the Republicans of the Senate, who, though favoring the steps proposed, insist that Congress should be called in extra session, would vote for the measure requested by the President when the roll was called. The chief, if not the only reason for uncertainty was found in the attitude of Senator La Follette, who has given indications of preparing for a single-handed filibuster in the closing hours of the session.

Details of the destruction of the Cunard liner Laconia, published in the morning papers and telling of the suffering and death of an American mother and daughter among the passengers, had its effect during the day. Members of the House and Senate, whose communications had come largely from pacifists, began receiving telegrams from their constituents calling for vigorous action by the government.

HOUSE IS ACQUIESCENT.

The House Foreign Affairs Committee early in the day reported out the Flood bill authorizing the President to arm American ships, with amendments eliminating the provision for the use of "other instrumentalities" and adding a prohibition against the insurance of munition ships by the government war-risk bureau. A special rule to expedite passage of the measure was introduced by Chairman Flood of the Foreign Affairs Committee, who said he probably will press it tomorrow. It would provide for a vote not later than 4 o'clock p.m.

The administration plan is to have the Senate substitute for the House measure the bill reported by the Senate committee and based upon a memorandum prepared by the President. In the form of a conference report the leaders anticipate no difficulty in having the House pass the substitute promptly.

Former Secretary Bryan appeared at the Capitol tonight while the House was debating the District of Columbia prohibition bill. It developed, however, that he had not come to support the efforts of the pacifist group, and in a general way indorsed President Wilson's address to Congress.

AGGRAVATING INCIDENT.

Another aggravating incident was added to the situation today by the receipt of word from Germany that four American consuls were being held in Germany because a German consul, on his way from the United States to Ecuador, had been delayed in Cuba. A statement of the facts and a request for immediate release of the Americans was cabled tonight.

Announcement was made at the State Department that instructions had been sent to Ambassador Elkus at Constantinople to report definitely and immediately whether Turkey would guarantee, not only for herself but for her allies, the safety of the American cruiser Des Moines and the naval collier Camap in taking relief supplies into Syria and bringing out the 1000 or so marooned Americans there. Ambassador Elkus, having sent a rather ambiguous promise from the Turkish authorities, was told to say that, unless definite and specific guarantees were received from Turkey binding all the Central Powers, the two vessels would not be allowed to proceed.

OPINION IS VEERING.

The veering of opinion at the Capitol in favor of the armed neutrality bill was apparent throughout the day. The first concrete indication came at a meeting of the Michigan Republican delegation in Congress, called by Senator William Alden Smith. The delegation agreed to support the bill desired by the President, not to oppose defense measures or to try to force an extra session and to stand squarely behind the President in the emergency.

"Wait until members of Congress hear from the country," declared Majority Leader Kern to several of his colleagues, "and I think we shall see a rallying of members of both Houses."

Senate leaders determined today not to attempt to reach a vote on the bill until the House bill has been passed, but they expect that the House will vote before tomorrow night. In the meantime the Senate bill may be formally acted upon and reported in from the Foreign Relations Committee and discussion may proceed.

A minority report signed by six members of the Foreign Affairs Committee and filed with the House tonight, declared the proposed arming of ships carrying ammunition to belligerents would be "unneutral" and "an act of war."

The signers are Representatives Cooper of Wisconsin and Porter of Pennsylvania, Republicans, and Shackleford of Missouri, Smith of New York, Huddleston of Alabama and Thompson of Oklahoma, Democrats.

TEXT OF REPORT.

The full text of the report follows:

"An unsuccessful effort was made in committee to amend Section One of this bill so as to except from its provisions ships carrying cargoes consisting in whole or in part of arms and ammunition. It would be manifestly unneutral for our government to arm and protect ships engaged in the munitions traffic with belligerents.

"It is true that there is no international law imposing a duty on neutrals to restrain their citizens from selling arms and ammunition to belligerents; but the belligerent against which such arms and ammunition are intended to be used has a right to capture the same in transit on the high seas.

"If the government of the United States should arm and protect a ship carrying arms and ammunition consigned to a belligerent, thus itself becoming a party to the traffic. It would commit an unneutral act—an act of war."

As reported by the House committee the bill would read: "The President of the United States be and is hereby authorized and empowered to supply merchant ships, the property of citizens of the United States and bearing registry of the United States, with defensive arms and also with the necessary ammunition and means of making use of them in defense against unlawful attack, and that he be and is hereby authorized and empowered to protect such ships and the citizens of the United States against unlawful attack while in their lawful respective pursuits on the high seas."

This eliminates the provision which would have empowered the President to use "such other instrumentalities and methods as may in his judgment and discretion seem necessary and adequate."

The bill would provide the $100,000,000 bond issue and authorize the President to transfer some of the funds to the war risk insurance bureau, but contains this phrase prohibiting insurance of munitions ships:

"Said bureau of war risk insurance shall not insure any arms or ammunition or any vessel carrying arms and ammunition consigned to belligerent countries or any citizen thereof."

Mr. Flood said this provision would permit the arming and pro-

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District of Columbia Dry; Shipment of Liquor to Dry States Barred in Postal Bill.

Triumph.

DOUBLE VICTORY IS WON BY PROHIBITIONISTS.

Filibuster by Wets in the House Fails; Bills Going to Wilson.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

WASHINGTON, Feb. 28.—Prohibition won a double victory in Congress today, when the House passed by a vote of 273 to 137 the Senate bill to make the national capital dry, and Senate and House conferees on the postal appropriation bill unexpectedly announced an agreement under which the Reed "bone-dry" amendment is virtually assured of enactment.

Hope of agreeing on the postal supply measure had been abandoned by the conferees, who last night submitted a resolution to continue existing postal appropriations for another year. Tonight, however, they got together on a report, which includes the Reed amendment, prohibiting shipment of liquor into prohibition States, and which they expect to present in both houses tomorrow or Friday. The leaders thought tonight there was no doubt of its acceptance in the Senate and House. They are taking it for granted, too, that President Wilson will approve both that and the District of Columbia prohibition bill.

THE DISTRICT BILL.

The district bill, which would become effective November 1, was brought to a vote after a stubborn opposition had delayed for several hours the final roll call, which the leaders knew would mean passage. All day and until late in the evening they stood by their guns, exhausting every parliamentary expedient to ward off action, and watching for an opportunity to put the measure into a position that would mean its failure with the expiration of the session Sunday.

Failing to displace the bill, or to force an adjournment, the filibusters centered their attention on an effort to add amendments that would throw it into conference and prevent enactment at this session. They made their last stand on an amendment that would have given the people of the district a referendum on the proposal, and would have put into the measure a provision prohibiting importation of liquor for personal use. This was voted down, 171 to 232. Various other amendments were rejected by similar majorities.

DEBATE IS LIMITED.

The debate on the measure had been limited by the drastic rule under which it had been brought up so that the usual dramatic features of filibustering strategy were replaced by long roll calls forced by the opposition on repeated motions to adjourn, points of no quorum, amendments, and motions to give some other measure the right of way. After several hours the prohibition champions despaired of passing at all the House bill reported from the District of Columbia Committee with numerous amendments, and adopted a special rule substituting the Senate bill.

Chairman Henry of the Rules Committee led the fight for the "wets." A member for twenty years and the veteran of many floor battles, he went into the fight today representing only a small majority of his committee. He succeeded in keeping the bill from coming up on the floor until after noon by filibustering on a minor judgeship measure. He had a handful of other bills ready to bring up when Representative Harrison, another member of the Rules Committee, took the floor from him in behalf of the rule under which the dry bill framed by the district Committee was to be considered.

HARRISON'S ANSWER.

Mr. Henry protested that undue haste should not be exercised in perfecting such an important measure and Mr. Harrison replied:

"We are willing to sit here with you gentlemen until the 4th of March, if necessary, in order to perfect this bill."

AUSTRIA'S U-BOAT STAND SOON KNOWN.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

LONDON, Feb. 28, 7:45 a.m.—The Austrian reply to the American note in regard to the submarine issue will be handed shortly to the United States Ambassador in Vienna, and probably will indorse the position of Germany, according to a Reuter's Amsterdam dispatch quoting a Berlin telegram to the Weser Zeitung of Bremen.

GERARD ABOARD SHIP FOR HAVANA.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

CORUNNA (Spain) Tuesday, Feb. 27, (via Paris, Feb. 28, 1:35 a.m.)—James W. Gerard, former American Ambassador at Berlin, sailed today on the steamship Infanta Isabel for Havana. The steamer is expected to reach that port March 8 or 9.

Mr. Gerard was escorted to his boat by the Mayor of Corunna, in place of the Governor, who is ill; the British Vice-Consul and the Cuban Consul. The Infanta Isabel was filled to capacity, carrying 750 in the steerage.

William H. Gale, former American Consul-General at Munich, is a passenger.

WAR CONFERENCE IS HELD AT CALAIS.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

PARIS, Feb. 27, 11:30 p.m. (delayed.)—An Anglo-French conference was held at Calais yesterday and today. Those participating in it were Premier Briand of France, Gen. Lyautey, the French Minister of War; Gen. Robert G. Nivelle, commander-in-chief of the French field forces; Premier Lloyd George of Great Britain; Gen. Sir William R. Robertson, chief of the imperial staff at British army headquarters, and Field Marshal Sir Douglas Haig, commander-in-chief of the British forces in France.

REPORTS THAW A WRECK.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE.]

PHILADELPHIA, Feb. 28.—Harry K. Thaw is a physical and mental wreck, according to a report made today by Dr. John Wanamaker, a police surgeon.

Fair Enough.

TO RELIEVE HOTEL MEN MADE POOR BY DRYS.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

WINNIPEG (Man.) Feb. 28.—A bill to provide relief for hotel men, many of whom claim to be operating at a loss since prohibition became effective, was introduced in the Manitoba Provincial Legislature today as a result of the investigations of a special committee appointed to study the situation.

The bill provides for a director of public accommodations to have general supervision over hotels, and gives municipalities the power to build and operate hotels where necessary. It is proposed that hotel men be given a virtual monopoly of handling tobacco, of operating billiard-rooms and bowling alleys and of providing meals and lodging.

At the Lowest Figure.

"DUMMIES" BUYING FOOD FOR BRITAIN AND ALLIES.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 28.—Great Britain and her allies are buying foodstuffs on the Pacific Coast through "dummies" to escape higher prices charged by wholesale firms, Frank E. Connolly, secretary of the Retail Grocers' Association, said today. He said purchases by the Allies were at the bottom of rising prices.

California rice advanced today for the first time since the 1916 crop was harvested. The housewife will have to pay 25 cents for five and one-half pounds, whereas she used to get six pounds. Dealers admit they have been holding their rice for better prices.

President W. R. Lazelere of the Wholesale Potato Dealers' Association advised housewives today not to peel potatoes. He said 20 per cent. was lost in parings.

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	Total lines advertising.	Separate "want" ads.
THE TIMES	259,812	14,467
Second morning newspaper	205,182	10,261
Third morning newspaper	155,288	3,107
First evening newspaper	146,922	2,184
Second evening newspaper	132,220	2,655
Third evening newspaper	66,852	566

The Times' pre-eminent circulation qualities make its advertising columns the most direct method of reaching a multitude of buying readers.

BRITISH CASUALTIES HALF LESS IN MONTH.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

LONDON, Feb. 28.—British casualties during February reached a total of 1243 officers and 17,185 men.

The February figures for British casualties show a total but little more than half that for January, despite the fact that there has been considerable fighting on the Somme front during the month. The February total of 18,428 compares with a total of 32,254 officers and men for January. Officer casualties for February, however, were considerably greater than for the month preceding, when they were 960 as compared with the past month's 1243.

TEXAS HOUSE AWAITS DRY VOTE DODGERS.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE.]

AUSTIN (Tex.) Feb. 28.—After being locked in the hall of the House all night awaiting the arrival of two absent members so that a vote could be taken on the submission to the voters of a State-wide prohibition resolution, the lower branch of the Legislature still was in session today with prospects that a vote would not be reached before tonight, even if then. The House has been in continuous session since 10 o'clock Tuesday morning.

Speaker Fuller has announced his intention of having all members present before a vote is taken. Orders for the arrest of the two absentees have been issued.

The legislators, during the night, divided their time between burlesque legislation, dominoes, checkers and an occasional nap.

AMERICAN MULETEERS ON TRASPORT SAVED.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

NEWPORT NEWS (Va.) Feb. 28. Reports received here today by Furness, Withy & Co., Ltd., the agents, said that the British steamer Leysian, engaged in the horse transport trade between this port and Avonmouth, Eng., went ashore on the British coast February 24 and will be a total loss. The vessel was returning here after discharging horses at Avonmouth and the message said that her crew, including a number of American muleteers, had been rescued.

AUSTRLIA MAY BAR AMERICAN APPLES.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

LONDON, Feb. 28, 10:35 p.m.—William Morris Hughes, the Australian Premier, says Reuter's Melbourne correspondent, intimated to a delegation which called on him that the importation of American apples would probably be prohibited. The deputation visited the Premier with regard to the restrictions on the export of apples and the Premier promised to do his utmost to assist crops.

H. C. OF L. PROBE COST.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE.]

WASHINGTON, Feb. 28.—Over the protests of Chairman Fitzgerald of the Appropriations Committee, who declared the Federal Trade Commission's investigation into the high cost of living was "chasing a will-o'-the-wisp," the House today voted the necessary appropriation of $400,000 in the Civil Sundry Bill on a roll-call vote.

Resigned.

GERMANS ARE PREPARED FOR WAR WITH AMERICA.

Hollweg's Excoriation of United States Received with Great Enthusiasm as Indicating His Purpose to Get the People Ready for Eventualities—Nation is Pinning its Faith to Submarines.

[BY WIRELESS AND A. P.]

BERLIN, Feb. 27 (via Sayville, Feb. 28.)—Chancellor Von Bethmann-Hollweg's speech to the Reichstag, in which he discussed relations between Germany and the United States in detail, was received with great applause by a crowded house, says the Overseas News Agency.

The prominence which Chancellor Von Bethmann-Hollweg gave in his address to the Reichstag today to discussion of relations with the United States is regarded here as indicating his purpose to prepare the German public for the eventuality which is looked forward to in many quarters. The German press continues to serve up fragmentary, but sensational, bulletins indicating feverish war preparations in the United States.

At this hour it may be said that a declaration of war from Washington would find the German mind quite prepared for it. A final break with the United States would be likely to meet with stoical indifference so far as the public at large is concerned. There is an ominous tension which has been gathering intensity. The nation is now pinning its faith to its U-boats.

CENTER LEADER'S VIEWS.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

BERLIN, Feb. 28 (via Amsterdam and London.)—When Chancellor von Bethmann-Hollweg had concluded his address in the Reichstag, Dr. Peter Spahn, leader of the Center party, said:

"Our confidence in submarine warfare is firm, as it represents the earliest possible termination of the war. The German nation will continue in future as in the past to rest on the present monarchical basis, and will adhere to the present constitution. The government's action in the matter of peace proposals has our entire support.

"The year's balance has been favorable for our enemies, but they are not yet convinced of our invincibility. The programme for the future drawn up by Viscount Grey (the former British Foreign Secretary) puts into the shade all plans ever conceived for world domination. England, which pretends to have been dragged into the war against her will to protect small nations, now continues the war with the plan of enlarging her territories by 1,500,000 square kilometers.

"England is attempting to starve even the people in Germany who take no direct part in the fighting. America has protested against this, but she has refused to follow us.

SITUATION SERIOUS.

"With full appreciation of the seriousness of the situation we must hold on and conquer, whatever President Wilson's decision may be. The order for unrestricted submarine warfare involves the question of the whole destiny of our empire. We wage submarine warfare, not because we are in a desperate position, but because we hope thereby to terminate the war quickly.

"China's abandonment of neutrality is striking, and can only be explained by pressure from the United States. The Pope has most strictly observed neutrality, and continues so to do. We express our thanks to Sweden, Holland and Switzerland for their strict neutrality.

"It is misleading for anybody to talk about our giving up our plans to all indemnity on the principle that everybody has to bear his own burden. This standpoint is not shared by the Chancellor. (This remark was greeted with applause.) All damage and loss of property must be borne by the originators of the war."

SOCIALIST'S VIEW.

Philip Scheidemann, the Socialist leader, said:

"Our enemies are waging a war of conquest. We are waging a war of defense. Our enemies declined our invitation to a peace conference, more brutally and provokingly and with a madder peace programme than any one could have expected. Thus our enemies took upon themselves the guilt for blood which can never be wiped out. Germany is unanimous that all our power must be strained to frustrate the plans to the enemy.

"The rupture with America we regret, but trust that our national strength armed to the teeth will render possible what our enemies consider impossible. Our honor and existence and the freedom of development of our empire must emerge from the war unchanged."

Herr Scheidemann urged the Chancellor to take measures against persons making profit out of the war and demanded the resignation of the Minister of Agriculture, which he said would create joy among the German people.

Count von Westarp, the Conservative leader, outlined his party's ideas of peace terms, saying:

"New sacrifices require new demands, new compensations. Sufficient war indemnity must be collected to arm us against dangers of the future and to provide for resumption of economic competition. We must retain territory of economic value conquered with our blood. Courland and Livonia (Russia) offer ground for colonization and a German population there will protect our interests on the Baltic. At Briey and Longwy (Northern France) we can find useful coal and iron. The harbor at Antwerp we can not do without, and with this in our hands the individuality of the Flemish population can also be protected.

"The military safety of our frontiers must be attained, even if military and economic objections there to exist.

"As in the east, our flank must be protected. The high defensive and offensive value of the Flemish coast is obvious in strengthening our position against England. Germany must be invincible."

REFUSAL OF PEACE.

Count von Westarp continued:

"The refusal of our peace offer was a blow in the face of the German people. The Entente declined in its declaration to President Wilson to be compared with us as human beings. The German people can not stand such an insult to the honor of the Kaiser and his people. We are now employing our last fighting weapon, with which England's vital spot will be directly hit.

"In view of the recognition of the fact that England can reckon on the support of the American people the German people stands united and determined behind the Kaiser, even those who until now have raised objections against unrestricted war.

"Our decision on unrestricted submarine warfare is immutable. The whole world must be in no doubt thereof. Everything must be avoided that gives the slightest suspicion that we will yield anything here.

"We regret the recent loss of Dutch ships, but it was England's fault for she prevented the ships leaving during the period of safety. Let this be an earnest warning to neutrals.

"Austria is in complete agreement regarding the submarine war nor can there be any retirement before the demands of the United States. The whole nation agrees in that.

"President Wilson's attempt to bring neutrals to his side completely failed. We rejoice in that and also that after our rupture with America Mr. Wilson is done for as a peace mediator so far as we are concerned."

OTTO WIEMER'S STAND.

Dr. Otto Wiemer, a Progressive, declared that the submarine warfare must be supported by the entire nation. He continued:

"The Chancellor's words regarding the rupture of relations with America will not fail to have their effect outside the house and in certain quarters in America which thus far have not recognized the situation clearly. For the rest we consider reserve necessary as regards discussion of relations with America.

"True it is that the supplying by America of ammunition to the Entente has aroused bad feeling while America has made only paper protests against England's illegal interruption of commerce. Over there large numbers of the population do not agree with President Wilson's policy. Friendly relations which have existed for centuries connect both peoples, even today. We desire to maintain these relations but agree with the Chancellor that there can be no turning back, but only 'forward.' With unswerving confidence we look forward to the new period and will do what iron duty demands until victory is gained, until peace is enforced."

The War.

BRITISH TAKE GOMMECOURT.

French Artillery is Active in the Avre Region.

Continue to Advance Rapidly on the Tigris Front.

Turk Army Near Kut-el-Amara Badly Routed.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

LONDON, Feb. 28.—British troops occupied the important village of Gommecourt today and captured the villages of Thilley and Puisieux-au-Mont as well, advancing their line more than half a mile to the northeast of Gommecourt. This announcement is made in the official report from British headquarters in France, which also records several raids of minor importance.

The statement reads:

"This morning we attacked and captured a portion of an enemy trench northeast of Sailly-Saillisel and took eighty-five prisoners, including two officers and also a machine gun.

"Our advance north and south of the Ancre continued during the night. We occupied Gommecourt today. We have captured the villages of Thilley and Puisieux-au-Mont together with the trench systems adjoining them, and have pushed our line forward 1000 yards to the northeast of Gommecourt.

"A successful raid was carried out last night in the neighborhood of Clery. Our troops reached the enemy's second line and captured twenty-two prisoners. We also entered the enemy's positions northeast of Arras and southwest and west of Lens and bombed several occupied dugouts.

"An enemy raid northeast of Armentieres was repulsed with loss.

"Much valuable reconnoissance work was carried out by our aeroplanes yesterday. A number of air fights took place and three of our machines were brought down."

ON THE TIGRIS.

The British are continuing to advance rapidly on the Tigris front. Official announcement was made here today that on Monday the Turkish army was being engaged on the left bank of the river more than thirty miles west and northwest of Kut-el-Amara.

The announcement follows:

"A report dispatched late Monday by the general officer commanding in Mesopotamia gives the following:

"The close pursuit of the retreating enemy has been steadily maintained throughout Monday and our advanced troops were this afternoon engaging the enemy from three sides at a point on the left bank of the Tigris, over thirty miles north-northwest of Kut-el-Amara. During his flight the enemy has abandoned quantities of arms, ammunition, tents, equipment and stores of all kinds, and has thrown some of his guns, including four 5.9 howitzers, into the river.

"The British gunboat Firefly, which was lost on the retreat from Ctesiphon, has been recaptured, and, in addition, one Turkish ship has been taken and one destroyed.

"The total of prisoners taken on Sunday amounted to 360. All reports for today have not yet been received, but up to the present our captures are eleven officers and 150 men."

MAUDE'S RAPID ADVANCE.

The rapid advance of the British expeditionary force under Gen. Maude up the Tigris, after the capture of Kut-el-Amara from the Turks, has revived interest in the various phases of the long-halted campaign for the ancient city of Bagdad, capital of the Caliphs and famed in fable and story.

Last spring, before Gen. Townshend's force at Kut was forced to surrender to the Turks, Russian operations in Persia and Armenia were counted upon to aid in driving against the Ottoman armies defending Bagdad. The three branches of the drive were directed, respectively, from the south by the British on the Tigris, from the east by the Russians in Persia and from the north by Grand Duke Nicholas's forces in Turkish Armenia. A junction between the Tigris forces and those in Persia were at one time thought to be in prospect and one Russian cavalry detachment, indeed, did succeed in crossing the mountains of the Persian frontier, joining the army of the British general, Gorringe, below Kut-el-Amara, after Townshend's surrender.

The fall of Kut, however, really spelled the collapse of the Entente plan, if one there was, to effect the capture of Bagdad by these joint and converging operation. Turkish forces released by the capitulation of Townshend in late April reinforced the Turkish army contending against the Russian advance in Persia, and Gen. Baratoff, who had penetrated to the vicinity of the Mesopotamian border, from which Bagdad is less than 100 miles distant, was obliged to retire.

Soon the Russians found themselves back at Kermanshah, some 100 miles eastward of the border, and in the summer were driven from that place and later even from Hamadan, nearly fifty miles further from the frontier. The promised Russian advance southward from Bitlis, in southern Turkish Armenia, about 250 miles north of Bagdad, also failed to materialise. The fighting between Turks and Russians in Persia since then has for the most part been in the vicinity of Hamadan and of Sultanabad, which is still further east.

Obviously, with the British still tied fast at Kut, there could be small encouragement for operations looking to a juncture. With that place again in British hands, however, and Gen. Maude's forces now within seventy-five miles of Bagdad on an air line, apparently having thrown the Turkish forces into at least temporary demoralization, the prospect of co-operative movements again opens.

As yet there have been no indications of any contemplated move in force by the Russians in either Persia or Armenia. It was about this time last year, however, that Russian armies in Persia were set in full motion, and it may well be that they were awaiting this year the outcome of the British operations at Kut before starting a new offensive campaign.

PARIS ACCOUNT.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

PARIS, Feb. 28.—The official communication issued by the War Office tonight reads:

"Both artilleries were exceedingly active in all directions along the Avre front. Enemy reconnaissances in the region of Roye failed. Our batteries effectively shelled the German organizations in the sector of Hill 304. There is nothing to report on the rest of the front."

Belgian communication:

"There was rather unusual activity of patrols last night at various points on the front, before Beauvraignes, in Avocourt wood, at Spitzenberg, northeast of St. Die and in the region of Largitzen," says today's official announcement. "We caught enemy reconnoitering parties under our fire and dispersed them. In the region of Autreches, between the Oise and the Aisne, we made a surprise attack on an enemy trench."

OUTPOST FIGHTING.

[BY WIRELESS AND A. P.]

BERLIN, Feb. 28.—(via Sayville.)—Lively outpost fighting in several sectors of the Franco-Belgian front is reported today by an army headquarters statement. In the Aisne sector the French, after taking a German outpost position, were driven off in a counter-attack, and Germans who had been taken prisoner were set free.

Repulse of a British attack in the Somme sector of the Franco-Belgian front was announced in the supplementary communication from the War Office tonight, which says:

"On the north bank of the Somme a British attack between Le Transloy and Sailly was repulsed. The fighting continues at two points on our most advanced trenches.

"No important actions are reported from the eastern front."

On the northern Rumanian front yesterday the Teutonic forces took the offensive, the War Office announces. They captured several hill positions from the Russians, taking more than 1300 prisoners, eleven machine guns and nine mine throwers.

"Of the eight hostile airplanes reported shot down on February 25," says the Overseas News Agency today, "three were brought down north of the Somme. The fourth lies close in front of our lines east of St. Mihiel; the fifth, which was in Nieuport, was smashed to bits in Alsace, between Pfastatt and Lutterbach, while the sixth, also a Nieuport, was brought down on the Macedonian front.

"The seventh and eighth machines belonged to the British air squadron which attempted to attack Saargemund."

AUTO WRECK KILLS SEVEN.

Twelve are in Hospital as Result of Crash at Lima, O.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

LIMA (O.) Feb. 28.—Seven dead and twelve injured in the hospital, at least two of whom will die, was the toll of an automobile accident here tonight.

Twenty-two homeward-bound employees of the Ohio Steel Foundry were hurled through the air and beneath train wheels when a Cincinnati, Hamilton and Dayton freight struck the bus.

TOLL IN CHICAGO.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

CHICAGO, Feb. 28.—In a rear-end collision of street cars in a tunnel under the Chicago River tonight, one man was killed, three women were seriously hurt and seven other persons were cut and bruised.

ORDER SUGAR MILLS TO RESUME ACTIVITY.

[BY CABLE AND A. P.]

SANTIAGO (Cuba) Feb. 28.—At a conference tonight at San Francisco between commanders of American warships and the military governor of the province of Oriente, it was decided to issue orders to all sugar estates where work had been stopped to resume operations immediately.

Succulent.

PRUNES FINE FOOD, SAY HEALTH EXPERTS

CALIFORNIA PRODUCT GETS O.K. OF SCIENTISTS.

Eastern Investigators Recommend General Use of the Fruit and Send Out Recipes for its Preparation—Low Price is Added Attraction to Housewives.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

NEW YORK BUREAU OF THE TIMES, Feb. 28. — The eighth bulletin of a series prepared by the health department's bureau of public health in co-operation with the department of home economy and Hunter College to help the housewife meet the high cost of living by showing the relative cost and food value of some of commoner food articles is headed like this:

"Plebeian Prunes Make Patrician Dishes."

No longer shall the prune be made the butt of humorists. The department of health says that this is one of our most valuable foods. It contains a large amount of valuable food, supplies important mineral salts and lends itself to an almost endless variety of delicious combinations.

Prune compote or stewed prunes are perhaps the dishes most familiar in this country. Prunes with rice makes an excellent combination. The same is true of prunes with apples. In Hungary prunes are cooked with spinach. The Germans prize prunes cooked with barley.

The department of home economics of Hunter College has hundreds of recipes for prune dishes and will be glad to supply these on request. Some of them will be published in the next bulletin issued by the department of health.

The food expert advises housewives to buy medium-sized prunes which average forty to fifty to the pound. These can now be bought anywhere for 13 cents a pound or two pounds for 25 cents. The smaller prunes are cheaper, but their use is not economical for the proportion of waste is considerably larger.

According to dietetic experts, 1 cent's worth of prunes supplies eighty-nine food units.

One cent's worth of dried apples supplies eighty-six food units.

One cent's worth of dried apricots supplies twenty-three food units.

Rub It In.

A good many people think rheumatism cannot be cured without taking nauseous medicine. Chamberlain's Pain Balm massaged thoroughly into the skin has cured far more rheumatism than any internal remedy in existence and gives relief quicker.—[Advertisement.

The War at Sea.

TWENTY-FIVE BRITISH SHIPS SUNK IN WEEK.

Twelve Merchant Vessels Unsuccessfully Attacked by Submarines.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

LONDON, Feb. 28, 8 p.m.—Following is the British official weekly statement of arrivals and sailings, war losses, and unsuccessful attacks on shipping of the week ending Sunday, February 25:

"Arrivals and sailings, merchant vessels of all nationalities over 100 tons net, at and from United Kingdom ports (exclusive of fishing and local craft.) Arrivals, 2280; sailings, 2261.

"British merchant vessels sunk by mine or submarine of 1600 tons gross or over, fifteen; under 1600 tons gross, six.

British merchant vessels unsuccessfully attacked by submarines, twelve; British fishing vessels sunk, four."

BACK FROM FRENCH RAID.

[BY WIRELESS AND A. P.]

BERLIN, Feb. 27 (via Sayville, Feb. 28.)—The German submarine which February 12, attacked the French coast at the mouth of the Adour River in the Bay of Biscay, has returned undamaged to its base, the Overseas News Agency announced today.

"This submarine," adds the statement, "together with another, sank eleven steamers, three sailing vessels and two trawlers, of a total of 37,500 tons, gross.

"A German naval airplane in the Northern Aegean successfully bombarded a hostile transport ship and returned safely."

(A Paris statement February 13, reported the appearance of a hostile submarine at the mouth of the Adour River the previous afternoon. The statement added that five persons were wounded, one seriously, and that the material damage was insignificant as the result of the shots fired at the coast by the diver.)

BRITISH STEAMER SUNK.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

ST. JOHNS (N. B.) Feb. 28.—Word of the sinking of the British steamer Tritonia was received in a cable message to the agents here today. No details were given.

The Tritonia sailed from this port February 15, for Liverpool, with a general cargo and stopped at Halifax, N. S., on the 16th to take on some horses. She was built in Glasgow in 1893 and registered 2720 tons.

Conservation.

BRITISH TO BAR SHIP PASSENGERS.

WILL USE ALL VESSELS FOR FREIGHT AND TROOPS.

Admiralty Decides on New Policy, Say Arrivals on the American Liner Finland—Tension While Vessel was in Channel was Most Acute.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE.]

NEW YORK, Feb. 28.—Reports that passenger traffic on all British vessels leaving England for America and France has been suspended, were brought here today by passengers who arrived on the steamship Finland, the last American Line boat to leave Liverpool, and the third unit of this fleet to sail from that port after Germany's proclamation of unrestricted submarine warfare.

James F. Egan of Philadelphia and Robert Wilson of New York, European representatives of large American business interests, said that before leaving England they had been informed on what they considered reliable authority that the British Admiralty had decided to employ all vessels, passenger carriers as well as freighters, solely for transporting supplies or moving troops.

The Finland left Liverpool at 1 o'clock in the morning of February 14, and for forty-eight hours persons on board said tension among the passengers was acute, few of them taking off their clothes in fear of the German submarine peril.

BRINGS BACK HALE.

The vessel brought 170 passengers, among them United States Senator-elect Frederick Hale of Portland, Me.; Frank H. Simonds, New York Tribune's war writer, and Lady Richard Wellesley, whose husband, a British army officer, was killed in the war. In the steerage were eight members of the crew of the British steamship Japanese Prince, sunk by a German submarine.

Scandinavian and Dutch passenger ships to America no longer stop at British ports, but avoid the submarine zone by making Halifax their port of call. Consequently, if the report of the Finland's passengers is correct, no passenger can now reach the United States via England unless American ships call from this country to fetch them.

It was 1 a.m. on February 18 when the Finland left Liverpool with 174 passengers. She sailed with all lights burning, illuminating the American flag painted on either side. No submarine was sighted.

Dr. Henry Van Dyke, former American Minister to Holland, reported to be on the Finland, did not sail. United States Senator-elect Frederick Hale of Maine said he understood Dr. Van Dyke was still in London.

Mr. Hale during three weeks spent in England and France met many of the leading men handling the affairs of the Entente Allies.

VIEWS OF LLOYD GEORGE.

"I talked with Lloyd George in London and he told me he hoped America would get into the war," Mr. Hale said. "He added that he wanted to see America take a prominent part in the peace negotiations at the end of the conflict.

"I also saw Premier Briand in Paris and he said the entry of America into the fight against the Central Powers would have a great moral and practical effect toward bringing about peace.

"The prevailing sentiment among leading officials in both countries was that we could help with money and with credits and the opinion was expressed that were the United States to send over even a small fighting force under the American flag, it would have a great moral effect."

BALTIC IS EXPECTED.

Officials here of the International Mercantile Marine Company said today that reports brought by passengers on the Finland of a suspension of passenger sailings from England was an error, as the White Star Line now has a passenger ship at sea which left Liverpool for New York after the Finland sailed. The name of the ship was withheld by officials of the line, but it is believed to be the Baltic. It was also reported that the Cunard liner Cameronia is on her way here from a British port.

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Sixty-fourth Congress.

DEFENSE BILLS ARE IN DANGER

Extra Session is Inevitable, Administration Fears.

Democrats to Use All Means Against Filibuster.

Prospects of Reed Amendment Looking Brighter.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

WASHINGTON, Feb. 28. — With only four more days left in the life of the Sixty-fourth Congress and with Republican Senators still threatening to force an extra session, administration leaders tonight, while not hopeless, nevertheless were fearful that a special session could not be avoided.

The Democrats could get no assurances that obstructive tactics would not be employed by the Republicans against the navy and army defense measures and the Sundry Civil Appropriation Bill, which passed the House in the afternoon, and thus to encompass the defeat of one or more of these important bills.

Not only are the big defense bills in jeopardy but conference reports on the legislative and several minor but important supply bills remain to be agreed to. Another source of peril is the limited time remaining for the enrolling of measures for the President to sign before noon of March 4.

DEMOCRATS DETERMINED.

However foreboding the outlook, the Democrats determined to meet the filibustering threats of the minority with every resource at their command and they resolved upon an endeavor to hold the Senate in continuous session until a vote could be forced on the naval bill, which they had decided to take up tonight after passage of the revenue bill. Conferences with Republican leaders early in the evening gave hopes that this might be accomplished and that a vote could be reached in time for a short adjournment to pave the way for consideration of the armed neutrality bill some time tomorrow.

But in this programme the Democrats were without counsel from Mr. La Follette of Wisconsin, who had sought to obstruct the naval bill when it had been temporarily before the Senate in the last week.

"We must wait a while before we abandon hope," said Senator Simmons, chairman of the Finance Committee. "Of course, if the Republicans insist upon a policy of obstruction, we cannot pass these bills before adjournment and an extra session will be imperative."

The House conferees finally yielded tonight in the dispute over the pneumatic tubes which for a time threatened the death of the appropriation bill appropriating $300,000,000 and carrying the Reed "bone dry" amendment prohibiting the shipment of liquor into prohibition States.

The Reed amendment carries with it the provision denying the mails to newspaper and other publications carrying liquor advertisements in States which have laws against such advertising.

Although there have been threats of a filibuster against the measure because of the "bone dry" amendment the general opinion among Senators and Representatives tonight was the conference report would be agreed to.

Want to Live.

GIVE US A PROFIT, ASK PAPER MAKERS.

MANUFACTURERS WANT TRADE BOARD TO BE KIND.

Say Pulp and Labor are Both Going to Cost More—Insist Rates are Sure to Rise Proportionately—No Decision Yet on Price Methods.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

WASHINGTON, Feb. 28.—News print paper manufacturers who have proposed to the Federal Trade Commission that it fix prices for their product submitted to the commission today cost figures for their mills and asked that the price allowed permit them still to do business at a profit. Present costs, they declared, would mount during the year because of scarcity of wood and advancing labor prices.

F. T. Dodge, head of the International Paper Company, said his concerns at present was making news print paper at a far less profit than on other grades of paper. He insisted that last year's rise in news print prices was due to rising costs and to an unusual demand. One of his mills, he said, was selling paper on contract at a price actually less than the cost of production. For years, he said, paper mills had made little money and prospects for the future were not bright because forests were disappearing.

Mr. Dodge declared the International Paper Company had no watered stock and that failure to pay dividends was due to the fact that the company had made no money.

The manufacturers will be heard again tomorrow. Friday paper jobbers will appear before the commission to give their views as to fair and equitable prices. The commission, it is understood, has come to no decision as to whether it will set a maximum price for all mills or on a sliding scale, permitting mills with higher costs to charge higher prices for their output.

PARLIAMENTARIANS GET LESS LIQUOR.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

LONDON, Feb. 28, 4:35 p.m.—A resolution was adopted in the House of Commons today requesting the Catering Committee of the House to observe in the sale of intoxicating liquors the same restrictions imposed upon the general public. Heretofore the sale of intoxicants in Parliament has not been affected by any outside action.

Trouble Averted.

That little cold and sore throat of yours must be checked at once or it may develop into something worse. Take a few doses of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy and your troubles will soon vanish.—[Advertisement.

EDITOR SUING BRIDE, GROOM.

Asks Ten Thousand Dollars in Double Breach-of-promise Suit.

Martin Luther Helpman, Jr., editor of the Hollywood Enquirer, and also connected with the Municipal News, is plaintiff in a peculiar breach of promise suit filed yesterday in Riverside, wherein he makes his former sweetheart and also her husband defendants in the action.

Edith M. Vanmeter, a pretty school teacher of Banning, last Saturday married Charles L. Gassaway, postmaster at San Gorgonio Pass City. Both Mr. and Mrs. Gassaway were named as defendants yesterday in the $10,000 breach of promise suit filed by Mr. Helpman through his attorneys, Dexter, Ellis & Seccombe of this city.

The Hollywood editor alleges that Mrs. Gassaway promised him on July 2 last, in Los Angeles, to marry him today. He avers that, confiding in this promise, he has remained unmarried and was at all times ready and willing to marry the woman who is now the postmaster's wife.

Mr. Helpman last night refused to make any statement regarding the case.

Stand by President.

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tection of munitions ships, but would not permit their insurance by the government. The administration contends that munitions ships are protected by international law as well as any others against ruthless and unwarned destruction with sacrifices of life.

No record of the vote in committee was kept, but Chairman Flood said he thought it was 17 to 4. Other members said seven voted against it.

FARM LOAN RATE TO BE BELOW SIX.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE.]

WASHINGTON, Feb. 28.—Federal Farm Loan Board officials are understood to have arranged for placing half of the entire first issue of forthcoming farm loan bonds, amount undetermined, with a syndicate of bankers at New York and elsewhere at a rate of 4½ per cent. The rate to be charged the farmers on loans will range between 5 and 5½ per cent.

From the number of applications from farmers wanting loans, officials estimate that as high as $50,000,000 in bonds may be issued within the first year.

Although officers for only five of the twelve banks have been announced so far, virtually all the banks will be doing business, it is expected, within three weeks.

Secretary McAdoo is expected soon to sign certificates for the government's subscription to stock not taken by the public. The government will place approximately $8,500,000 at the disposal of the banks in this manner. These funds will be drawn upon as fast as needed, and, although each bank will issue its own bonds, the board will undertake the marketing of them.

COMPANY NOT DISSOLVED.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

BALTIMORE, Feb. 28. — Reports from New London, Ct., that the Eastern Forwarding Company, American agents for a German underline, had been dissolved were denied today by Charles W. Field, general counsel and director of the concern.

Preparedness.

MILITARY BILL ENGAGES IDAHO

Compulsory Service Plan is Before Lower House.

Lansing Opposes Passage of Anti-Japanese Measure.

Legislature not to Worry the Administration.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

BOISE (Idaho) Feb. 28.—The Legislature awoke today to the fact it has pending before it a stringent military draft bill and the debate that followed in the House of Representatives almost resulted in a personal encounter. Majority Leader Moody resented a remark made by Representative Grice of Shoshone county and dared him to accompany him outside the chamber to settle the matter. Representative Shearer, who was in the chair, stopped the controversy by ordering the sergeant-at-arms forthwith to preserve order in the chamber, forcibly if necessary. The nation's state of preparedness to engage in war and the possible embarrassing situation this country might find itself in with Japan, entered into the debate over the military bill.

The lower house in committee of the whole voted decisively in favor of retaining in the bill a provision for compulsory service, on call of the Governor, of all male persons between the ages of 18 and 45. A motion to strike this provision had been made.

In fact, international affairs engaged the attention of both houses. In the Senate majority leaders were informed of a telegram received by the Governor from Secretary of State Lansing, asking the State's chief executive his opinion as to the prospects of the anti-Asiatic marriage bill, pending in the Senate, passing.

LANSING'S INQUIRY.

The Japanese Ambassador, Secretary Lansing said, had called his attention to the existence of the bill to prevent marriage between Americans and Mongolians. The bill was introduced by Senator Atherton to prevent the marriage of a Japanese to a white girl at Twin Falls. The clerk of court refused them a license there and they then went to Minidoka and secured a license and were later married. The measure is now in the hands of the State Affairs Committee of the Senate. It probably will be held there unreported until the Legislature adjourns as there seems to be no desire to press it. Secretary Lansing was so advised. By a vote of 24 to 11 the Senate ordered the anti-alien land bill printed. This is the measure identical with the one that passed the House, but later was defeated in the Senate. It was introduced by Senator Bradbury of Bonneville county and is aimed to prevent Japanese ownership of sugar beet lands in the southeastern part of the State.

NO ANTI-ALIEN BILL.

The Japanese question has caused no end of talk in the capital this week, but with today's developments in Washington, it is probable that Idaho will not pass the anti-Asiatic land matter. Men high in the administration circles here announced tonight that it is most unlikely that any measure now will be passed that would embarrass the national administration.

The anti-alien land bill was reported unfavorably today by the Senate Committee on State Affairs, but the Senate, 24 to 11, ordered the bill printed. This action was taken on motion of the author of the bill and is not considered to have committed the Senate to the bill's passage. Many who opposed the measure said they favored its terms, but believed the time was inopportune for such legislation.

Intrigue.

GERMAN RADIO STATION IN LOWER CALIFORNIA.

Steamer Manned by Men Believed to Have been in Pay of Bopp, Reported in Magdalena Bay — United States Naval Authorities Alarmed at Undue Activity of Steamer Thought to be an Ally of Raider.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

SAN DIEGO Feb. 28.—Revelations from Washington of German-Mexican intrigues recalled with fresh force tonight the report of Capt. L. K. Brandt of the schooner W. and K., when he arrived here February 15 from Magdalena Bay, that a steamer flying the German flag had entered Magdalena Bay early in December and had remained in the bay for more than twelve hours. Brandt's report fitted in with previous reports of a German steamer that had been cruising along the Lower Californian coast for the supposed purpose of collecting and caching supplies for a German raider.

At the time the German steamer was in Magdalena Bay the British cruiser Rainbow was reported at Santa Rosalia keeping watch over the fleet of German merchantmen tied up there. About the same time three Japanese warships were sighted off Cape San Lucas, at the extreme tip of Lower California.

DEFIED THE PATROL.

Further reports that a German steamer has boldly plied along the West Coast of Mexico and Central America, in defiance of the patrol of Allied warships, for the possible purpose of collecting fuel and stores for German submarines or a German raider, were received here today by Federal authorities. At the same time the authorities learned today that a powerful wireless station, the operators of which transmit messages in the slow, methodical manner typical of the German naval radio service, has been in service at a point several miles south of Turtle Bay, Lower California.

The mysterious German steamer first was reported by Enrique Flores, jefe politico of Magdalena Bay. This steamer, flying the flag of the imperial German navy, entered Magdalena Bay December 10 last, and again on February 8 and on February 24 was reported to have coaled and provisioned in the harbor of Acapulco. At Acapulco, however, the vessel was flying the Honduran ensign.

That the naval authorities have become alarmed over the apparently reliable reports of German activity is indicated by the increasing of the United States patrol fleet in lower coast waters. Three torpedo boat destroyers left here a week ago under sealed orders. They left under cover of the night.

It became known for the first time here today that German agents, said to have been in the pay of Franz Bopp, convicted German Consular agent at San Francisco, have been actively engaged at Mazatlan, Manzanillo, and even in San Diego in attempting to secure coal for steaming purposes. It is also reported that a large quantity of crude oil has been shipped to a certain German firm at Mazatlan from San Pedro, Cal.

The presence of the radio station at Turtle Bay has been known to the local port officials for some time. Steps have been taken by the Lower California authorities, it is said, to seize and confiscate the radio plant.

COULD EASILY GET CREW.

That a German raider would have little trouble picking up a crew and obtaining stores and fuel along the lower coast is admitted by Federal authorities here. At Santa Rosalia alone there are eleven German ships and barks manned by more than 125 officers and seamen. Between Santa Rosalia and Punta Arenas there are seven large freighters of the German mercantile marine.

The mysterious German steamer reported by Flores was painted black, had one funnel and was equipped with wireless. Flores estimated the craft to be about 300 feet in length. The bridge was placed well forward.

German Plot.

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for their anti-Americanism. Among them are Rafael Zubaran, Carranza's Minister to Germany, and Luis Cabrera, Carranza's Minister of Finance.

DEFINITE FORM OF PROPOSAL.

It is apparent that the proposal had taken definite form when Zubaran returned to Mexico City from Berlin recently. His return from his foreign post was covered by the fact that Carranza had called in many of his diplomats for "conferences." Some time before that Cabrera, while still at Atlantic City in the conferences of the American-Mexican joint commission, had suggested in a guarded way to a member of the American section that he regretted the commission had not succeeded fully in settlin gthe difficulties between Mexico and the United States, for, he said, he had hoped it might continue its work and make peace for the world.

When pressed for some details of how the commission could restore world peace, Cabrera suggested that the American republics controlled the destiny of the war by controlling a large part of its supplies. Mexico, he intimated, might do her part by cutting off exports of oil. The American commissioners dismissed his ideas as visionary.

Almost coincident with Zubaran's return from Germany, Cabrera returned to Mexico City, open in his expressions of anti-Americanism.

Zubaran before being sent abroad had represented Gen. Carranza here while the Niagara mediation conferences were proceeding, and was no less avowedly anti-American than Cabrera.

Meanwhile Baron von Schoen, secretary of the German Embassy here, was transferred to the Legation in Mexico City. No explanation could be obtained of the reason for this transfer, and such investigation as was possible failed to develop why a secretary from the United States should be sent to the German Legation in Mexico. Baron von Schoen's association with the moves, if any at all, does not appear. The only outward indication that he might have been connected with them is found in the fact that he recently had been detached from the German Embassy in Tokio and was well acquainted with the Japanese Minister in Mexico City.

Carranza's peace proposal was openly pronounced an evidence of German influence in Mexico by officials here, who declared it was intended only to embarrass the United States. Then, apparently, some influences showed their effect on the course of the Mexican government, and on February 25 Cabrera, the Minister of Finance, issued a statement describing the "amazement" of the Mexican government that the American newspapers should have interpreted Carranza's proposal to cut off exports on munitions as a suggestion that he might cut off shipments of British oil. They were, Cabrera declared, "entirely groundless," and that feature of the situation ended.

There was an intimation that Germany's astounding proposal that Japan turn traitor to her allies had been answered by Tokio.

VON BERNSTORFF IN THE PLOT.

Count von Bernstorff's connection with the plot, further than serving as the channel of communication, is intensified by the fact that the German Embassy here was not merely the medium of delivering a message in this instance, but was really a sort of headquarters for all the German missions in Central and South America.

The German naval attache, Capt. Boy-ed, and the military attache, Capt. Von Papen, whose recall was forced by the State Department because of their military activities in this country, also were accredited to Mexico, and, between the outbreak of the war and their departure from this country, made at least one visit there.

For months many naval officers here have believed that the mysterious German sea raiders of the South Atlantic must have found a base somewhere on the Mexicon coast, and that such a base could not be maintained without the knowledge and the consent of Mexican officials. Last November the British Charge at Mexico City presented to the Carranza Foreign Office a notification that if it was discovered that Mexican neutrality thus had been violated the Allies would take "drastic measures" to prevent a continuance of that situation.

In a note almost insolent in tone, Foreign Minister Aguilar replied to the charge that, in effect, it was the business of the Allies to keep German submarines out of western waters, and that if they were not kept out Mexico would adopt whatever course the circumstances might commend.

To German influences also have been attributed in some quarters the vigorous steps taken by the de facto Finance Minister to force loans from the Banco Nacional and the Bank of London and Mexico, owned by French and British capital. The institutions were closed by the Mexican authorities and some of their officers imprisoned and held for weeks, despite repeated protests by France, Great Britain and the United States.

Reports of German machine guns and German gunners in the Carranza army also have been persistent, although the relative importance of that to the proposed alliance is not fully established. It was recalled tonight, too, that last November, when the Mexican-American joint commission was making its futile effort to adjust the difficulties between the two countries, the Austro-Hungarian Ambassador at Mexico City, Count Kalman Kama Volkanya, made a trip to the United States on what he described as a "secret mission."

A suggestion interpreted by some officials as indication that Germany might have made approaches to Mexico, at that time, was made by Cabrera in an address at Philadelphia on November 10.

"The foes of the United States will certainly assume to be friends of Mexico," said Mr. Cabrera, "and will try to take advantage of any sort of resentment Mexico may have against the United States. Mexico, nevertheless, understands that in case of a conflict between the United States and any other nation outside America, her attitude must be one of continual solidarity."

DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE BUSY

It has been an open secret that Department of Justice agents in their investigation of plots to violate American neutrality by setting on foot armed expeditions in Mexico more than once have uncovered what appeared to be trails of the German secret service. A few days ago Fred Kaiser, suspected of being a German agent, was arrested at Nogales on charges brought under the neutrality statutes, Department of Justice agents declaring he had attempted to obtain military information on the American side of the border and had cultivated the society of American army officers with apparent intention of promoting those efforts.

Last July when W. H. Schweibs, who claimed to be a former German army officer, escaped into Mexico at Nogales after arrest on similar charges, the deputy marshal who tried to follow him was stopped by Mexican authorities.

The full extent of the evidence of Germany's plotting against the United States, gathered by the American Secret Service, may become known only according to the course of the future relations between the two countries. It is known that much evidence of the operations of the German Embassy and persons who were responsible to it, never has been permitted to some out because officials preferred to guard against inflaming the public mind in the tense situation with Germany. The public amazement, which a full exposition of the evidence in the hands of the government would cause cannot be overestimated.

Only today the Council of National Defense, created by act of Congress, issued an appeal to all Americans to show every consideration for aliens in this country.

"We call upon all citizens," said the appeal, "if untoward events should come upon us, to present to these aliens, many of whom tomorrow will be Americans, an attitude of neither suspicion nor aggressiveness. We urge upon all Americans to meet these millions of foreign-born with unchanged manner and unprejudiced mind."

WILSON RECEIVES PROTEST FROM HOY.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE.]

WASHINGTON, Feb. 28.—President Wilson has received the following cablegram from Austin Y. Hoy, whose mother and sister were lost when the Laconia was torpedoed without warning by a German submarine:

"I am an American citizen representing the Sullivan Machinery Company of Chicago, living abroad, not as an expatriate, but for the promotion of American trade. I love the flag, believing in its significance. My beloved mother and sister, passengers on the Laconia, have been foully murdered on the high seas.

"As an American citizen outraged and as such fully within my rights and as an American son and brother bereaved, I call upon my government to preserve its citizens' self-respect and save others of my countrymen from such deep grief as I now feel. I am of military age, able to fight. If my country can use me against these brutal assassins I am at its call.

"If it stultifies my manhood and my nation's, by remaining passive under outrage, I shall seek a man's chance under another flag."

WILSON DECLINES TO PROMISE PEACE.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE.]

WASHINGTON, Feb. 28.—President Wilson told peace advocates who called on him today to protest against the steps he proposes in dealing with Germany, that the country was faced by a momentous problem in the present situation, that he had always been for peace and would do everything within his power to maintain it.

The President received their suggestions sympathetically, members of the delegation said, but told them the country must realize the magnitude of the question.

ANNUAL PENSION ACT PASSES SENATE.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

WASHINGTON, Feb. 28. — The Senate laid aside the revenue bill for one minute tonight by unanimous consent and put through the annual invalid pension bill, already passed by the House, and carrying about $160,000,000.

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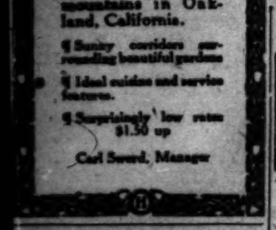

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CALIFORNIA BACKS WILSON.

Senate and Assembly Each Adopt Resolutions.

President Pro Tem. Tells the Senators to Speed Up.

Santa Monica Tide Lands Bill Passes House.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

SACRAMENTO, Feb. 28.—Morning and afternoon sessions are in prospect for the Senate as a means of expediting legislative business. Senator A. H. Breed, president pro tem., announced from the floor today that such a step is essential at this time if the upper house expected to keep pace with its own work and make any headway on the bills passed out of the Assembly. He also suggested that the committees show more expedition in acting on their bills. Leaders of the Senate said that arrangements probably would be made to undertake the afternoon sessions next week, pointing out that such a move would materially shorten the legislative period, which now threatens to consume two months.

SENATE ADVANCES BILLS.

The Senate got a big start on its calendar today by advancing more than a score of Senate and Assembly bills to the third-reading calendar. This action means that the bills may be acted on tomorrow unless an objection is raised. The measures, however, are not regarded as of more than passing importance. Virtually all the big bills over which contests are certain to develop are still in committee.

Senator McDonald of San Francisco furnished the only feature of the day's brief session when he sought to amend a resolution upholding President Wilson by adding that the Legislature did not indorse alleged violations of international law by England or England's treatment of Irish revolutionists. Senator Breed, as presiding officer, ruled McDonald's amendment out of order after Senator Duncan, joint author of the resolution with Senator Irwin, protested that the amendment had no bearing on the purposes of the resolution. The resolution then was adopted in its original form. A companion measure already has been approved by the Assembly.

The Senate also gave its approval to Nearlon's resolution for an investigation into the high cost of foodstuffs. The measure directs the State Board of Equalization to request a survey by county assessors of the amount of foodstuffs stored in warehouses.

The first bill of the session, the Butte county government measure, was passed without opposition, according to custom.

STUDY LIVING COSTS.

Prominent among the resolutions approved was the Nealon measure calling for an investigation into the high cost of living. It is proposed that the county assessors be requested by the State Board of Equalization to demand the amount of foodstuffs held in warehouses in their respective communities. The resolution now goes to the Assembly for action.

Other resolutions adopted were:

By Scott—Memorializing the government to grant the franking privilege to the State Board of Health for the dissemination of medical literature of educational character to various institutions and State officers.

By Scott—Construction by the government of a military highway from the Canadian to the Mexican border.

By Assemblyman Williams—Support of the Raker bill in Congress providing for the building of a national defense highway in California over El Camino Sierra.

Fewer proposed constitutional amendments will be reported for favorable action this session by the Senate committee having those measures under consideration if a suggestion offered in the committee today by Senator W. J. Carr is accepted. He cautioned the body to go slow and not "run wild" in the matter of constitutional amendments such as characterized the 1913 session. As a member of the committee, Carr advised that only those measures regarded as highly important be sent out for legislative action.

The Senate Committee on Education recommended for favorable action a bill by Rominger providing for a vocational survey of the State for the benefit and guidance of public school pupils. It carries an appropriation of $10,000. A bill by Jones of Santa Clara, permitting school authorities wider latitude in establishing night schools, also was reported favorably. If necessary it allows night schools to be operated less than five nights a week. Another bill by Jones, abolishing the $2 certificate fee for normal school students who engage in practice teaching without remuneration, also was recommended.

IN THE ASSEMBLY.

The question of whether shrimps should be caught in the Marin shore waters of San Pablo Bay opened up the bigger question of the Assembly's attitude toward the State Fish and Game Commission today, when Manning's measure was passed over the protest of Ream of Sisson that the commission wanted a committee rehearing.

Before the roll call passed the bill the lower chamber had applauded a speech by Madison of Santa Rosa in which the commission had been roughly handled.

With important legislation pending which affects, among other matters, the privileges of the commission to expend at its discretion the sums derived from game licenses and fines, this flash of feeling in the Assembly was considered suggestive.

A bill by Wills of Imperial to permit the continuance of a lien of mortgage on a crop after the crop be severed and moved, if still identifiable, and a bill by C. W. Lyon to permit Santa Monica to use State tide lands, were passed.

The tide-lands question evoked a warm debate over Alameda's effort to get sanction for its use of estuary property, on which it had agreed to expend $200,000 in improvements, but which has since been improved by the Union Iron Works in a sum larger than that. Arnerich failed again today in creating a properly encouraging attitude toward his bill, and asked that the vote go over. Berkeley and Venice also have tide land bills pending. The Committee on Commerce and Navigation today recommended for passage a bill by Doran granting uses of such land to National City.

Nine new bills went in. These included C. W. Lyon's anti-trading stamp and suit club measure, Wishard's birth-control bill and one presented by Hudson authorizing the State Controller to hold annual conventions for instruction of county assessors and tax collectors.

CONSERVATION HEARING.

The Assembly Conservation Committee has set March 13 for a public hearing on the various bills proposed by the Water, Problems Commission and opposing measures.

Bills affecting Lake county water will be taken up by the State Irrigation and Assembly Conservation committees jointly at a public hearing next Tuesday.

FAVOR OUR FLOOD BILL.

The appropriation of $1,080,000 for flood control in Los Angeles county, proposed by Merriam, was recommended for passage by the Assembly Committee on Drainage and Overflowed Lands today.

Oakland's project to lease her tide lands for ninety-nine years was recommended by the Committee on Municipal Corporations.

Egoism.

OUR JOBS, OUR JOBS, THELEN WORRIED.

MOVE FOR FEDERAL RAILROAD TAX SCARES COMMISSION.

Chairman Foresees Loss of Revenue and the Finish of Easy Positions—He Wants a Protest Sent to Congress so They Can Save Their Sinecures in Sacramento.

[SPECIAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

SACRAMENTO, Feb. 28.—Government ownership and regulation of railroads has suddenly come to be regarded by the State administration as a menace.

Max Thelen of the State Railroad Commission has returned from the East with the more or less startling information that the Democrats in Congress are considering a proposal to have the Federal government assume practically all the powers which the State now exercises over railroads; that taking over the right to tax railroads exclusively for Federal purposes is seriously considered.

This menace of Federal regulation and taxation has thrown a great scare into the administration forces. It would remove the reason for existence of the State Railroad Commission, which has now the exclusive expenditure of $400,000 a year; it would also deprive the State of a revenue of more than $6,000,000 a year that it now derives from the taxation of the gross receipts of the railroads.

The greatest sinecure under the present State government is a place on the Railroad Commission. There are five commissioners who receive $8000 a year each; they have the appointment of as many deputies and clerks as they see fit; there is no restriction by law. Even the State Civil Service Board has no jurisdiction over the employees of the Railroad Commission.

OPPOSE FEDERAL CONTROL.

An administration that really desired to keep the railroads from interference in State politics would welcome a movement to have them regulated wholly by the Federal government. But that is now regarded by the administration here as highly reprehensible. State ownership and regulation are highly to be desired; government ownership and regulation would be preposterous; in this instance the distinction is greater than the difference.

Commissioner Thelen has sent a letter to the State Tax Commission urging the members to get busy with the Legislature and to hasten the call of a Congress of States to protest against Federal encroachments on the sacred rights of the States to mulct the taxpayers as the administration sees fit, without interference by the Federal government.

WOULD END STATE ORDERS.

In his communication Commissioner Thelen states:

"The railroads are urging the Federal Congress to enact a statute providing for the Federal incorporation of all the railroads. This statute is to provide, among other matters, that practically all the powers which the States now exercise over railroads, even in purely intrastate matters, are to be taken away from them and conferred on the Federal government. Among the powers which are to be divested from the States are the powers over railroad rates, service, equipment, safety and issue of securities of all railroads to any extent engaged in interstate commerce. As practically all the railroads of the United States are to some extent engaged in interstate commerce the practical effect of this proposal would be to deprive the States of the Union of control, even in purely State matters, of all the railroads of any importance in the United States.

"That the Federal government under the plan of Federal incorporation of the railroads, by the insertion of appropriate language take from the State all their powers to tax railroad property, seems to be clear from the decisions of the Supreme Court of the United States. Thomson vs. Union Pacific Railroad Company 9 Wall. 579; Railroad Company vs. Peniston, 18 Wall. 5; Central Pacific Railroad Company vs. California, 162 U. S. 125."

Somewhat Dry.

STILL TINKERING WITH LIQUOR BILL.

SENATOR ROMINGER CONCEDES POINT TO WINE MEN.

Would Permit Householder to Keep Private Stock—Limit Quantity of Single Retail Sales—Eliminate the Saloons and All Kinds of Ardent Spirits.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

SACRAMENTO (Cal.) Feb. 28.—Strengthening amendments will be offered tomorrow by Senator J. A. Rominger of Long Beach to his original measure which prescribed that no liquor containing an alcoholic content in excess of 10 per cent. should be sold within the State. Rominger now proposes to raise the alcoholic content to 14 per cent. as a concession to manufacturers of light wines and beer, but he would abolish saloons. The right of local option, however, is preserved, and liquors not in the prohibited list may be sold in districts under regulation of proper authorities. Ardent liquors, such as whisky, gin and brandy, remain on the prohibited list with heavy penalties for violation. A fine of $500 may be imposed for the first violation and a second offense would bring both fine and a County Jail sentence.

Rominger would permit citizens generally to purchase for their own use light liquor from wholesale houses in counties which would be allowed to issue licenses.

Other features of the amending as outlined in a statement issued today by Senator Rominger include the following:

Limiting of wholesale licenses to one for every 2000 of population.

Householders would not be molested in the right to serve beer and wine in their homes.

Brewers and wine makers permitted to sell their products in quantities of not less than two gallons, which must not be consumed on the premises, and only to persons or firms legally entitled to possess liquors.

Wholesale druggists are permitted to deal in alcohol and in alcoholic liquors of any strength, but under restrictions which would prevent purchase and use for beverage purposes. Similar restrictions would be imposed on retail druggists.

Manufacture of brandy for fortifying sweet wines is not prohibited but its use must strictly be confined for blending purposes and not sold for straight drinking.

THE WEATHER ELSEWHERE.

North Dakota Now in Grip of Cold Wave Nearly Three Weeks.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

CHICAGO BUREAU OF THE TIMES, Feb. 28.—The temperature in Chicago did not rise above the freezing point. The maximum was 31 deg. above, with a minimum of 21 deg. Snowstorms were reported in Michigan, North Dakota, Wyoming and Colorado. North Dakota continues to report below-zero temperatures. That State has been in the grip of a cold wave for nearly three weeks, with the mercury falling below the zero mark every night. Temperatures around the freezing mark were reported by all the Eastern States tonight. In Florida it is uncomfortably hot.

Temperatures elsewhere, as officially reported by the United States Weather Bureau, were as follows:

Stations	Max.	Min.
Abilene, Tex.	42	22
Boise, Idaho	34	22
Bonita, Cal.		
Boston, Mass.	36	30
Buffalo, N. Y.	36	24
Calgary, Alberta	30	24
Chicago, Ill.	31	21
Corinna, Cal.		
Denver, Colo.	38	22
Des Moines, Iowa	36	24
Dodge City, Kan.	34	16
Duluth, Minn.	16	
Durango, Colo.		
Escondido, Cal.		
Eureka, Cal.	56	42
Flagstaff, Ariz.	46	16
Fresno, Cal.	70	44
Havre, Mont.	32	14
Helena, Mont.	38	18
Honda, Cal.	70	44
Jacksonville, Fla.	72	60
Kamloops, B. C.	32	22
Kansas City, Mo.	34	24
Knoxville, Tenn.	54	44
Los Angeles, Cal.	68	48
Memphis, Tenn.	60	44
Modena, Utah	34	18
Montreal, Que.	30	24
Moorhead, Minn.	24	6
Mt. Wilson, Cal.		
Nashville, Tenn.	58	40
New Orleans, La.	66	50
New York, N. Y.	38	30
North Head, Wash.	50	42
North Platte, Neb.	36	20
Oklahoma City, Okla.	52	30
Omaha, Neb.	36	20
Pasadena, Cal.	68	46
Phoenix, Ariz.	66	40
Pittsburgh, Pa.	40	
Portland, Ore.	52	34
Rapid City, S. D.	34	14
Reno, Nev.	46	22
Sacramento, Cal.	64	34
Roseburg, Or.	52	32
Roswell, N. M.	46	22
St. Louis, Mo.	42	30
St. Paul, Minn.	32	14
Salt Lake City, Utah	36	24
Santa Barbara, Cal.	66	46
San Francisco, Cal.	56	46
San Diego, Cal.	66	50
San Fernando, Cal.	68	46
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San Luis Obispo, Cal.	62	44
Seattle, Wash.	52	42
Sheridan, Wyo.	36	20
Spokane, Wash.	32	18
Tacoma, Wash.	52	42
Tampa, Fla.	74	54
Tonopah, Nev.	52	30
Tucson, Ariz.		
Tustin, Cal.		
Walla Walla, Wash.	46	24
Williston, N. D.	30	14
Winnemucca, Nev.	46	24
Yuma, Ariz.	74	52
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*—Indicates below zero.

GIBBONS'S REPORT PROVES OVERT ACT.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

WASHINGTON BUREAU OF THE TIMES, Feb. 28.—Official Washington was intensely interested today in Floyd P. Gibbons's story on the sinking of the Laconia, the fate of the victims and the rescue of its survivors, which was printed in the Chicago Tribune today.

Members of the House Foreign Affairs Committee and the Senate Foreign Relations Committee read the Gibbons article carefully. It was the opinion of all that in addition to being the most brilliant account ever written of the destruction of a great ship by a submarine, it was prima facie evidence that Germany had committed an overt act against the United States government. In addition to being a comprehensive story of the sinking of the Laconia, the Gibbons article is the first to be written by a trained newspaper man who was a passenger on a vessel torpedoed by a German submarine.

Congressman Cooper of Wisconsin, ranking Republican member of the House Foreign Affairs Committee, read the Gibbons story before he went to the meeting of his committee this morning. In fact the reading of the story delayed him a little in getting into the committee meeting.

"It is a marvelous tale," said Mr. Cooper. "It is more than marvelous. How any man could be in such a disaster and then write so vividly about it within thirty minutes after being rescued is more than I can imagine. Gibbons's article will go down in history as one of the greatest feats of journalism produced by the war."

ABSOLVE AUSTRIA OF LAW SINKING.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

WASHINGTON, Feb. 28.—It has been officially established that the American sailing schooner Lyman M. Law was not sunk by an Austro-Hungarian submarine.

It had been presumed that the Law was destroyed by an Austrian submarine because she was halted on her way to Palermo, Italy, in a region where it was thought there were no German U-boats. The submarine showed no marks of identity and it now is assumed that she must have been German or possibly Turkish.

Ambassador Penfield at Vienna cabled a report today in response to inquiries from Secretary Lansing. The Law was sunk, according to official dispatches, by a bomb after its crew had been under shell fire.

President Wilson in his address to Congress characterized the destruction of the Law as disclosing a "ruthlessness which deserves grave condemnation," but was what might have been expected.

Happenings on the Pacific Slope.

Defiant.

WON'T QUIT UNDER FIRE.

Indicted Seattle Policemen Continue on Duty.

Prosecutor's Demand for Suspension Refused.

Mayor and Chief, Facing Trial, Hold the Fort.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

SEATTLE, Feb. 28.—Prosecuting Attorney A. H. Lundin today demanded that all police officers under indictment or arrest be relieved of their duties at once, whereupon Chief of Police Charles L. Beckingham suspended Police Inspector Michael T. Powers, who was arrested yesterday charged with accepting a bribe from a gambling place. Lundin's demand covered the case of Chief Beckingham himself and five detectives, who were indicted by the Federal grand jury last month for alleged conspiracy to violate the interstate commerce laws relating to shipment of liquor. Beckingham declared that he would not retire from the force nor suspend the five indicted detectives. In this stand he is supported by Mayor Gill, who is also under Federal indictment. The trial of Gill, Beckingham and the detectives will be begun in the Federal Court next Tuesday.

Lundin said today that the arrest of Powers was the result of an investigation conducted by the Prosecutor's office, and was not due to evidence obtained by the Federal grand jury. The charge against Powers is similar to that under which former Chief of Police Wappenstein was convicted and sent to the penitentiary in 1910.

German Views.

ARMING OUR SHIPS WILL PRODUCE WAR.

ONLY DUCKY ACCIDENT HAS SAVED AMERICAN VESSELS.

London Editors Think Wilson has Taken Another Step Toward Hostilities and that Peace now is Hanging by a Thread of Technicality—Chancellor Scored.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

AMSTERDAM (via London) Feb. 28, 4:45 p.m.—Referring to President Wilson's statement to Congress, in asking for power to arm American ships, that the overt act had not yet occurred, the Cologne Volks Zeitung, a copy of which has been received here, says:

"It is only due to a lucky accident that American ships have not been sent to the bottom, and, unless American ships avoid the danger zone, the overt act is bound to come. There is no doubt that the arming of American merchantmen will mean a fight between submarines and American vessels, which necessarily will produce a state of war."

GERMAN LACONIA VIEWS.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

THE HAGUE, Feb. 28 (via London, March 1, 12:55 a.m.)—Commenting on the sinking of the Laconia, the Cologne Gazette, a copy of which has been received here, says:

"We can understand British sailors regarding it proof of courage and devotion to duty to brave the danger of submarine war on a freight ship, but we cannot understand a shipping company under British control permitting a passenger ship to cross the danger zone, foolishly exposing women and children to almost certain death, nor the extreme rashness of those who thus risked their lives."

PEACE HANGS BY THREAD.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

LONDON, Feb. 27, 12:05 p.m.—Under the heading "Another Step for War," the Westminster Gazette today says:

"President Wilson advances one step at a time, not whipping or rushing opinion, but allowing full opportunity between each step for opposition to develop, if there is any, and for cautious counsel to prevail if greater caution is possible. Clearly across the 3000 miles of sea the atmosphere still is cool and unexplosive.

"The Pall Mall Gazette says that peace between Germany and the United States now is hanging upon a thread of technicality.

Basing an editorial on a report from Washington that President Wilson had decided the deaths of Americans on the Laconia constituted an overt act, the Daily News argues that there might have been overt acts involving greater destruction of life, but there could have been none presenting a more complete fulfillment of the conditions alluded to by the President in his address to Congress February 3. It is essential that if America enters the war she shall enter it united, says the News, and there is little fear that the American executive will be paralyzed by divided councils.

"It is Germany's war, not Wilson's," says this newspaper. "It is a strange coincidence that the same day brings us the report of the labored and Jesuitical endeavors of the German Chancellor to defend before his countrymen the policy which added the United States to the list of Germany's enemies."

FIVE SHIPS SUNK IN BAY OF BISCAY.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

NEWPORT NEWS, Feb. 28.—The Dutch steamer Armundo reported on her arrival here today that on January 28 she picked up survivors of five ships torpedoed in the Bay of Biscay. Many women and children were included in the survivors, who number 179. All were landed at Vigo, Spain. The ships sunk were two Norwegian, two British and one Italian.

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BOY ENRICHED BY POTATOES.

Lad of Fifteen Gets $1500 for Crop from Two Rented Acres.

[DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

MARYSVILLE, Feb. 28.—Howard K. Pendleton, wealthy Butter county farmer, declared today after he had presented Jackson Meehan, 15-year-old orphan boy, with a check for $1500, that Meehan some day would be a millionaire. Meehan has worked on Pendleton's ranch for two years. Last fall Pendleton told him if he would continue to work for him he would give him this spring a suit of clothes, $50 in cash and a trip to San Francisco. Instead Meehan asked for permission to farm a little more than two acres of Pendleton's ranch which were lying idle. The lad planted the land to potatoes and when Pendleton was offered $1500 for the potato patch by speculators he accepted the offer and turned it over to the orphan boy.

In Arizona.

STARTING ANEW ON APPROPRIATIONS.

SENATE WILL TRY AGAIN TO PUT BILL IN SHAPE.

Seven Days Left of Session and Neither House has Approved the Measure for Current Expenses of State Institutions—Minority Fighting Every Step.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

PHOENIX, Feb. 28.—With only seven days of legislative life ahead, the appropriation bill is expected to get into the Senate tomorrow, to be torn apart, reassembled and returned to the House for approval. There is general belief that the job can hardly be done in that time in its new form. With only a bare majority needed for regular action the bill was fought through the House today to the third reading stage, with monkey wrenches tossed into the machinery by the radical minority at every legislative turn. Despite the fact that the bill has been before the House since February 6, bitter complaint was made of railroading and of the steam-roller tactics of the majority. Roll calls were demanded at every division, the vote standing 72 to 13 in each instance. The four Republicans voted with the majority and against the very evident scheme to force a special session, with possible advantage to the Hunt faction, which this year fails to control in either house. So the bill went through second reading, committee of the whole and to third reading. Nothing will be done further till the bill is passed, even a night session agreed upon today being abandoned.

The House passed bills for admission of paying patients to county hospitals, for free marketing of farm products and for free employment offices, in connection with the national Bureau of Labor. New House bills were by Cook, authorizing the State Board of Education to issue temporary teachers' certificates, and by Faires, for increasing the efficiency of juvenile courts. The Senate receded from its amendment of the teachers' pension law and the amount was fixed at $600 a year.

The Senate spent much of the day in considering Wilkinson's bill for a State budget, assumed to be favored by Gov. Campbell. It was recommended for passage, 12 to 6. The House red-light abatement bill was passed with a referendum clause as well as House bill limiting ballots to two to the voter, and a Senate measure prohibiting checking up on overdrawn bank accounts. A special committee on the discharge of Prof. Colodny from the university reported that the regents' action had been for the best interests of the institution.

AMERICAN TANKER HOME FROM LONDON.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

NEW YORK, Feb. 28.—Another American vessel, the new Standard Oil tanker H. C. Folger, arrived in port today. The vessel left London February 13 in ballast.

The Norwegian-American line has received cable advices from their home office saying the steamer Kristianiafjord left Bergen today bound for New York. There are no passengers.

PART OF A BALLOT FOR INDIANA WOMEN.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE.]

INDIANAPOLIS, Feb. 28.—Gov. James P. Goodrich signed the woman's partial suffrage bill this morning. The law gives the women of Indiana the right to vote for Presidential electors, delegates to the constitutional convention to be held next year, for practically all State officers except Governor, Lieutenant-Governor, Secretary, Treasurer and Auditor of State and for all county, city and township offices.

A PREPAREDNESS BILL.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE.]

WASHINGTON, Feb. 28.—A bill to condemn the Mississippi River Power Company's ownership of the Keokuk dam, between Keokuk, Iowa, and Hamilton, Ill., to provide for government investigation on feasibility of a government armor and nitrate plants in connection with the dam and for a bond issue of $31,000,000 to carry out the plan, if determined on, was introduced today by Representative Rainey of Illinois.

EXPEL INDICTED SENATORS.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

LITTLE ROCK (Ark.) Feb. 28.—State Senators I. V. Burgess and S. C. Sims, indicted Monday on charges of bribery, today were expelled from the Senate.

Law's Quirks.

ANY OFFENSE IS BAILABLE.

In Arizona Even a Murderer Can Keep Out of Jail.

After Conviction the Bond is Optional with the Court.

Decision of Wide Importance by the Supreme Judges.

[SPECIAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

PHOENIX (Ariz.) Feb. 27.—A decision of large importance has been rendered by the State Supreme Court in an appeal from the Superior Court of Cochise county, which had denied bail to Paul Welisch, convicted of violation of the prohibition law and sentenced to fourteen months' imprisonment and fine. The Superior Court's refusal to admit to bail during the time of appeal especially was considered. From the Supreme Court decision is taken the following significant paragraph:

"The people of Arizona at the last election, thrpugh the adoption of an initiative measure submitted to the voters, abolished all capital offenses, so that now there is no exception. All persons charged with crime, even treason, however diabolical, or murder, however atrocious, and howsoever evident may be the proof of guilt thereof, as well as all other felonies and misdemeanors, may, before conviction, demand admission to bail as a strict legal right which no judge or court can properly refuse. The constitutional provision in Arizona and like provisions in other States of the Union make the admission to bail a matter of right before conviction, but with the, exception of certain cases, not afterwards, because after conviction his status is materially changed before the law. Before conviction he 'stood upon his plea of not guilty, supported with all the presumptions of innocence with which the law delights to surround him. But when the trial has been had and his plea proven false the law will not stultify itself by presuming him other than that it has itself judged him to be.'"

The decision rather infers that the Legislature may change and correct this condition if it so care. It is deemed that the trial judge in the case did not act capriciously or arbitrarily, that there are no circumstances appearing authorizing the admission of the applicant to bail and the application therefore is denied.

The decision is signed by Chief Justice Franklin and Associate Justice Ross, and partially agreed to by Justice Cunningham, though the latter writes a special opinion, in which he calls attention to the fact that the defendant might be cleared after he had served his sentence or on final determination of his case in a court of appeal.

CULINARY PICKETS ARE TURNED LOOSE

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 28.—Seven union culinary workers arrested for violating a municipal ordinance by offering for sale the "Culinary News" bearing headlines "Unfair Houses," were at liberty today. Police Judge Attridge in banc found no evidence of intimidation; said they could not presume a conspiracy and that they could not go so far as to designate the paper a sign or a banner.

"The court feels it would be as dangerous to convict these men as it would be to convict them of carrying a copy of a daily newspaper," the opinion said. Constitutionality of the anti-picketing ordinance was not considered.

BAR NATIONAL AIRS FROM THE MEDLEYS.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 28.—War Department orders received today by Maj.-Gen. J. Franklin Bell, commander of the Western Department of the United States Army and signed by Secretary Newton D. Baker, designate the "Star-Spangled Banner" as the national anthem and prohibit military bands including in their medleys or national anthems of foreign countries.

GRAIN PRESIDENT ACCUSES RAILWAYS.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

CHICAGO, Feb. 28.—J. R. Mauff, president of the council of grain exchanges, in a telegram to Chairman E. H. Moyer of the Interstate Commerce Commission, today accused the railroads of blocking shipments of foodstuffs, in order to move munitions which afford them a large revenue. He declared that conditions are no better today than they were when agitation for relief from the car shortage problem began.

President Griffin of the Board of Trade today announced that the car service commission of the American Railway Association has rescinded its order granting 800 cars a week to Minneapolis for the shipment only of flour.

"The situation here is slightly better," he said, "but still serious. We need 20,000 freight cars in Chicago."

FOUR CARGO BOATS FOR CUNARD LINES

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE.]

PHILADELPHIA, Feb. 28.—Announcement was made today that the Sun Shipbuilding Company of Chester, Pa., has received a contract from the Cunard Line for the standard 10,000-ton cargo boats.

BETHLEHEM BUILDS TWO.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

BALTIMORE, Feb. 28.—Bethlehem Steel Company at Sparrows Point announced today that it had received contracts for two cargo ships of 10,000 tons each from the Cunard company.

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Congestion at Gulf ports decreased during the first two weeks of February, it was reported, by approximately 15 per cent., the total accumulations being 6072 cars February 15, as compared with 7327 cars February 1. A further decrease is reported to have occurred since February 15.

The commission sent letters to every railroad in the country, bringing to their attention the recent request of independent interests in the Middle West and elsewhere that the existing embargoes on the railroads against petroleum in tank cars as

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[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]
WASHINGTON, Feb. 28.—Meas- able improvement in the trans- ortation conditions of the country th respect to car shortage and gestion were reported today from ery section, according to an- uncement made tonight by the Service Commission of the erican Railway Association. The ation at Chicago, it was said, had en further relieved. At Minne- olis the railroads reported plenty empty box cars for immediate ds. The commission therefore ided to discontinue the practice ently adopted of sending solid loads of empties through to neapolis, but will supply the 's needs through a regular meth- of distribution.

Congestion at Gulf ports decreased ring the first two weeks of Febru- it was reported, by approx- ately 18 per cent., the total ac- mulations being 6072 cars Febru- 15, as compared with 7327 cars uary 1. A further decrease is orted to have occurred since ruary 15.

The commission sent letters to ev- railroad in the country, bring- to their attention the recent re- t of independent interests in the dle West and elsewhere that in ing embargoes the railroads tify petroleum in tank cars as No action was recommended the commission, the decision be- left to the discretion of the vari- roads. The oil interests in- med the commission that the ness of many users of oils as would be seriously affected if supply were made unavailable embargoes against the shipment commodities other than food- and coal.

SUFFRAGE GAINING GROUND IN CANADA.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]
WASHINGTON, Feb. 28.—Officials of the National Women Suffrage As- sociation, headed by Mrs. Carrie Chapman Catt, see in the granting of suffrage to women in the Canadian province of Ontario a step toward the eventual grant of woman suf- frage in England.

Ontario's action following that of Manitoba, Alberta, Saskatchewan and British Columbia gives suffrage to women in three-fourths of Canada.

The action of the Ontario Parlia- ment suffrage leaders here say it gives the ballot to more women than ever received it before at one time except in Australia. The popula- tion of California exceeds that of Ontario, but the proportion of wom- en to men is larger in the Canadian province.

DAIRYMEN GET MORE, CONSUMERS PAY SAME.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE.]
SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 28.—The State Market Director's office an- nounced today that an agreement had been reached between San Fran- cisco milk distributors and the As- sociated Milk Producers' whereby the dairymen will receive 13 cents a gallon instead of 16½ cents, without increased prices to the consumer. Better organization saves the cent and one-half, it was said.

HALT RICE EXPORTS TO END CONGESTION.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE.]
GALVESTON (Tex.) Feb. 28.—An embargo on rice shipments through the port of Galveston destined to New York and points beyond was announced today by the Mallory steamship line. A similar embar- go by the Morgan line already is in force.

The embargo was placed, it was stated, to give opportunity to clear ships already booked for passage.

FRANCE RESTRICTS VESSEL MOVEMENTS.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]
PARIS, Feb. 28, 12:10 p.m. — An official decree published here today provides that all ships of more than 1000 tons burden which are char- tered by companies or individuals in France must have authorization from the Under-secretary of Transporta- tion in order to sail from a foreign port to any other point than a French port or to sail in ballast from a French port to a foreign port. Vio- lation of this regulation will be pun- ished by cancellation of the privilege of engaging in foreign commerce.

NEW YORKERS HAVE THE CASH.

Their Income Tax Payments More Than Double in Year.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]
NEW YORK, Feb. 28.—Income tax collections in the second, or down- town, district of this city are ex- pected to amount to $66,000,000 for this year, it was stated today by the Internal Revenue Collector. The col- lections for the same district last year were less than $24,000,000, the year before about $15,000,000 and in 1914 less than $14,000,000. This district is said to yield the most in- come tax of any in the country.

HE REDUCED 57 POUNDS.

New Method of Fat Reduction Proves Astonishingly Successful.

JOHNSTOWN (Pa.) Feb. 28—In- vestigation has fully established that Wm. H. T. Stetler of this city has re- duced fifty-seven pounds in an in- credibly short time by wearing a simple, invisible device, weighing scarcely an ounce. This, when used as directed, acts as an effective fat reducer. Many prominent men and women have adopted this easy means of reducing their excess girth. The inventor, E. T. Burns of No. 14 West Thirty-seventh street, New York, has placed the device in all leading cities and is sending them on for- eign free trial without any deposit to all who write him.—[Advertise- ment.]

MUTT AND JEFF—*The Stranger Got at the Seat of Things Right Away.* By BUD FISHER.

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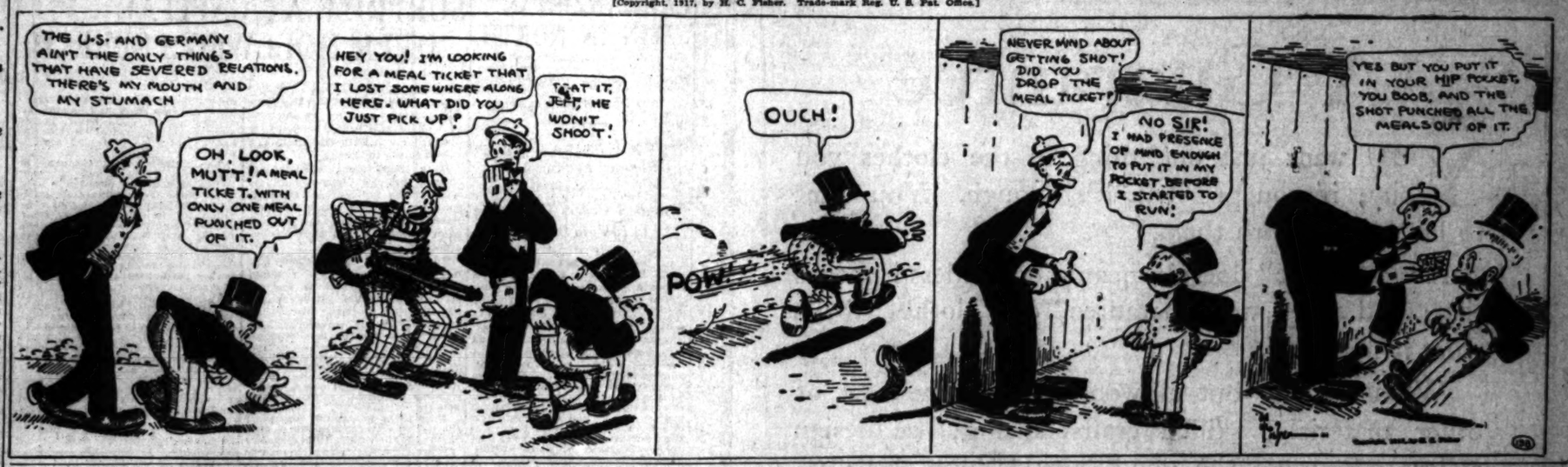

Administration Victory.

REVENUE BILL PASSED BY STRICT PARTY VOTE.

Measure Designated to Raise Three Hundred Fifty Millions by Special Taxes and Bond Issues Adopted by Senate After Scores of Amendments Offered in Quick Succession by Republicans are Defeated.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

WASHINGTON, Feb. 28.—The administration revenue bill, designed to raise $350,000,000 through special taxes and bond issues, was passed by the Senate late tonight by a strict partisan vote, 47 to 33.

Immediately after the vote, which followed the defeat of scores of amendments offered in quick succession by Republicans, Senator Stone moved to adjourn until 12:40 o'clock so as to clear the legislative situation for consideration of the armed neutrality bill.

Senator Penrose countered with a motion to adjourn to 10:30 tomorrow morning and when that had been voted down another by Senator LaFollette was beaten.

Then a motion to adjourn until 12:55 a.m. was carried by a vote of 60 to 9. There were protests in the Republican ranks against the tactics of their leaders, and Senator Borah and Senator Fall told their colleagues they were tired of seeing time wasted and wanted the Senate to get down to business.

Senator Underwood of Alabama, urging adoption of his amendment to the revenue bill to reduce oleomargarine taxes and thereby stimulate use of substitute for butter, predicted to the Senate today that unless steps were taken in the present food situation, the people would organize and "the Capitol resound with their cries for their rights, justice and relief from the yoke of special interests."

"Inability of the government to relieve the situation," he said, "is partly due to control of railroads by special interests. The railroads are busy carrying food to Europe, while prices here are higher than abroad. The time will come when the great consuming public will not consent to have bread taken from their mouths through laws in behalf of special interests."

Butter interests, he charged, were opposing his oleomargarine amendment so as to maintain and increase prices of butter, now beyond the reach of the poor.

Conditional.

GERMANY WOULD REPLACE SUNKEN DUTCH VESSELS.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

THE HAGUE (via London) Feb. 28.—The German government has offered to replace the seven Dutch merchantmen which were torpedoed off the English coast last week with German freighters until the end of the war on condition that Holland purchase them afterwards.

SHIPS ARE LOST.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

LONDON, Feb. 28.—At the Dutch Legation it was said today there was no confirmation of the report published earlier in the week that the Dutch steamships Bandoeng, Eemland and Zaandijk were still afloat. On the contrary, the latest information received by the Dutch officials led to the belief that the vessels had been lost. A search for the steamships proved unavailing.

The steamships Bandoeng, Eemland and Zaandijk were three of the fleet of seven Dutch merchant ships torpedoed by German submarines February 22. The Gaasterland, Jacstra and Noorderdijk were known definitely to have been sunk, while a fourth, the Menado, was reported to have been towed into Falmouth.

NO ACTION TAKEN.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

THE HAGUE, Monday, Feb. 26 (via London, Feb. 27.)—The government has given no indication of its course of action to be followed in connection with the recent disaster to Dutch shipping in the submarine attack on a flotilla of Dutch steamers off the English coast. It is taken for granted, however, that a peaceful solution is being sought in the form of a cession by Germany of a certain number of ships to replace the lost tonnage, such replacement being considered imperative because of the necessity of an immediate reorganization of food supply arrangements. There is already talk of a wholesale slaughter of Dutch cattle being necessary, owing to the loss of fodder cargoes among those destroyed by the submarine attack and the inevitable delay in securing fresh consignments.

Hunting Trouble.

JAIL AMERICAN CONSUL FOR TWO HOURS IN CUBA.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

NEW YORK, Feb. 28.—Sugar growers in the Cuban province of Oriente feared destruction of their crops by the revolutionary forces at the time the steamship Munamar, which arrived here today, left Cuba, passengers on the vessel said.

Joseph Bahr, a Cuban living in Zridgeport, Ct., a passenger, said the American residents at Antilla were stirred last week when the Cuban military commander there arrested George Bayliss, the American Consul, because he had protested against an order forbidding more than two persons to walk together in the streets. The Consul, according to Bahr, was released after two hours' imprisonment.

Resignation of President Menocal of the Cuban republic, as the solution of he revolution going on there, has been demanded by veterans of the war for Cuban independence, according to cable advices received here today by Dr. Orestes Ferrara, representative in this country of the Liberal party.

TO CHANGE PRISON CODE.

Navy Offenders Get Benefit of Observer's Report.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

WASHINGTON, Feb. 28.—Radical changes in methods of dealing with prisoners and those charged with lesser offenses in the navy are recommended in a report submitted to Secretary Daniels today by Thomas Mott Osborne, former warden of Sing Sing, who recently served a term as a voluntary prisoner in the naval prison and detention ship at Portsmouth. Details of the report were not made public.

Secretary Daniels believes the present regulations can be modified along the lines suggested, though he holds that minor modifications already made have created a better feeling of comradeship and friendliness among the enlisted personnel, reflected in the increasing number of re-enlistments.

Mr. Osborne's report will be compared with others the Secretary has received and from them a revised code, dealing with the question of naval imprisonment and fines, will be written.

STANFORD FACULTY BACK OF WILSON.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

STANFORD UNIVERSITY, Feb. 28. — Ninety-eight members of the faculty of Stanford University signed a telegram to President Wilson today declaring: "The time has come when the highest interests of humanity require that all means at the command of the United States be employed to defeat the purposes of the nation that sank the Lusitania and the Laconia." President Ray Lyman Wilbur's name heads the signatures and next to it was the signature of John Casper Branner, head of the geology department and former president of the university.

"We pledge our support," the message read, "to whatever action you take to gain that end."

There are 110 professors and instructors at Stanford. Chancellor Emeritus David Starr Jordan, first president of Stanford, and, in recent years, identified with world peace propaganda, was absent from the campus and his name did not appear on the telegram.

WORKER LOSES LIFE IN STRIKE VIOLENCE.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

CHICAGO, Feb. 28. — The first death due to violence in the strike of workers on women's wear occurred today. The victim was Edward Tonechek, 24 years old, a tailor, stabbed several times in the neck when strike sympathizers invaded the shop where he was employed and drove the workers into the street.

TRADE PAPERS CONSOLIDATE.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

CHICAGO, Feb. 28.—Charles W. Price, vice-president of the International Trade Press, Inc., of Chicago, announced today that as a result of economies made necessary by the high price of paper, hereafter the International will publish under one business management the Electrical Review and Western Electrician, the Cement World and a number of other trade papers hitherto published independently.

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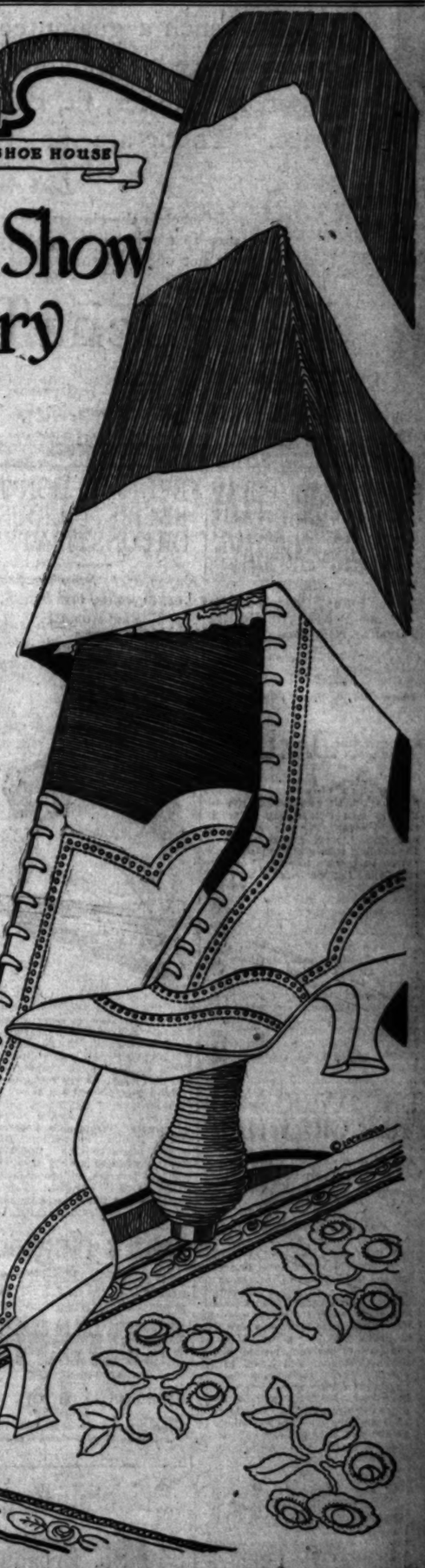

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CARRANZISTAS WIN IN NORTH.

Rapidly Force Villa Troops into Mountain Region.

Another Offensive Campaign Planned by Murguia.

Gen. Bell Orders Quarantine in El Paso District.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

EL PASO, Feb. 28. — Carranza forces are gradually gaining control of Northern Mexico and forcing the Villa troops back into the unsettled mountainous districts, according to American travelers and refugees who have reached the border during the past twenty-four hours. "They say Gen. Francisco Murguia has gained control of the situation in the north, crushed Villa's offensive which was planned against Juarez and Chihuahua city and for the first time in two years has undertaken the problem of adequately policing the State of Chihuahua, including the district evacuated by Gen. Pershing's punitive expedition.

Gen. Francisco Murguia is now in Chihuahua city reorganizing his forces for another offensive campaign against Villa, after having decisively defeated him at Jiminez, and driven him from Parral, besides capturing all of his trains. Gen. Jose Carlos Murguia is in the Casas Grandes district in command of the troops which have been sent there to police Western Chihuahua, while Lieut.-Col. Navarro, from Sonora, is moving eastward toward Juarez with a large force of Carranza troops to reinforce the border garrison.

Rumors that Villa had died from the effect of a bullet wound received in 1916 at Gerraro, which have been in circulation here for two days, were denied tonight by government agents who claim to have received a report direct from Villa's camp near San Andres, saying Villa was much improved in health following a slight infection in his wounded leg and that he was preparing to resume the campaign delayed by his illness.

BREAK CAMP AT PALOMAS.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

COLUMBUS (N. M.) Feb. 28.—All Carranza troops at Palomas, opposite this town, broke camp early today and started a forced march overland to Juarez to reinforce the Carranza garrison there. By making forced marches and by marching at night the de facto troops from Palomas expected to reach Juarez by Saturday.

Other Sonora troops who have been marching to Palomas have been ordered to proceed to Juarez, leaving 100 men to garrison Palomas. Rumors of a Villa attack upon Juarez were responsible for the movement of troops eastward, it was said.

QUARANTINE ON BORDER.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

EL PASO, Feb. 28.—Because of the spread of pneumonia, measles and mumps among the soldiers of this district, a quarantine has been placed upon all camps by order of Gen. Bell. The army medical authorities advised the measure, which is intended to keep the men as much as possible in the open air. Only soldiers on military business will be permitted to come into El Paso, although all can move freely among the camps. The percentage of sickness, however, is not high, the medical officers state.

GOMEZ LEAVES MAGDALENA.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

DOUGLAS, Feb. 28.—Americans arriving today from Hermosillo said Gen. Arnulfo Gomez had left Magdalena early this week with 300 de facto cavalry to campaign against the forces of Col. Francisco Reyna, operating in the Altar district for several weeks. Reyna is reported to have 150 men.

Fifty cavalrymen, the entire garrison at Algaodones, Lower California, revolted against Gov. Esteban Cantu February 26 and made their way across the Colorado River to Sonora to join Col. Francisco Reyna, bringing their arms and equipment, according to arrivals here tonight.

MORE VILLA LOSSES.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

CHIHUAHUA CITY, Feb. 28. — The band of Villa followers commanded by Nicolas Fernandes lost a number of men killed and important booty, including six French "75" cannon and a good part of their arms and horses in a fight with government forces under Gen. E. T. Perez, at San Jelipe, thirty miles northwest from Parral, it was officially announced here tonight. Gen. E. Garcia met the band after its retreat and inflicted further losses in men, ammunition and arms upon the rebels, according to military headquarters.

Fights with scattered small bands of rebels are being constantly reported throughout the State, all net advantage of government troops.

A private message received here says the Civilian Defense League, composed of ranchers, defeated the rebels under Georgonio Beltran at Cerro Prieto, twenty miles west of Cusihuiriachio. Beltran is said to have been killed.

Shock.

SURPRISE AT CAPITAL OVER HOLLWEG'S SPEECH.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE.]

WASHINGTON, Feb. 28.—Surprise bordering on indignation was voiced today over Chancellor Von Bethmann-Hollweg's speech to the Reichstag.

State Department officials are amazed that the Chancellor should seek further to confuse German-American relations with a series of statements which they say are palpably opposed to the most obvious events of recent history.

The Chancellor's statement that the United States severed relations "brusquely" is viewed as too absurd for discussion. It is pointed out that the American correspondence had plainly threatened such action; that Count von Bernstorff had said for several days beforehand that he expected to be dismissed and that the German government had shown its realization of the coming break by sending out orders to disable its merchant ships in this country.

It also was pointed out that while the United States delayed three days in taking the action it had clearly foreshadowed in several notes, Germany put into effect its campaign of ruthlessness on eight hours' notice after months of assurances that she had no intention of taking such a step.

The statement that Germany in her Sussex note reserved a new course of action is declared wholly unjustified. The United States specifically refused to accept that condition and in default of any reply from Germany was justified in believing that Germany adhered to her point of view. In diplomacy the last note between the two nations is the binding note and stands in all particulars until denied by one or the other.

The Chancellor's complaint that he received only Reuter dispatches and a verbal statement to the Foreign Minister as to the causes of the break recalls that a note setting out the reasons for action of the United States was handed to Count von Bernstorff with his passports.

The statement condemning President Wilson for announcing an embargo on arms to Mexico and not to Europe was dismissed as absurd and incorrect. The cases are held to be in no way parallel as Mexico was in a civil war.

Brought Home.

CALIFORNIAN ON LACONIA THIRD AMERICAN VICTIM.

William Eva, Prominent for Years as Mining Man and a Veteran of the Civil War, Loses Life When Cunard Liner is Sunk by German Submarine — Was Well Known in Big Pine District.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

NEW YORK, Feb. 28.—William Eva, who was lost when the steamship Laconia was torpedoed off the Irish coast Sunday night, was an American citizen, according to an announcement by the Cunard line officials here tonight. He was 74 years old and lived in California, where he was interested in mining properties. He served in the Civil War as a marine on the Union side, it was said.

Until today it had been supposed that Mrs. Mary E. Hoy and her daughter, Miss Elizabeth Hoy of Chicago, were the only victims among the Laconia's passengers who were American citizens. Mr. Eva, it developed, had sailed on an emergency passport issued by the British Consul here, and it had been assumed that he was a British subject. A cable message from the Liverpool office of the Cunard line, inquiring as to whether he came from Canada, was received here and officials then learned for the first time that he had come here from Big Pine, Cal.

It was disclosed that Eva had applied for the emergency passport from the British Consul after an American passport on which he had traveled to England a year ago had been cancelled by the State Department at Washington because he was unable to furnish the department with a birth certificate.

When the Laconia sailed from here Eva's name appeared on the passenger list as from Montreal. He had obtained the passport for the Holland-America liner Ryndam, and when that vessel returned here after going part way across the Atlantic he was transferred to the Laconia.

Officials of the Cunard line said they had learned that Eva was born in England, but that he was brought to this country by his parents when he was 4 years old, and that his father became a naturalized citizen before the boy became of age. Eva was said to be on his way to join his wife, who is in Cornwall.

WENT EAST MONTH AGO.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

BIG PINE, Feb. 28.—William Eva, lost when the Cunarder Laconia sank, Sunday, off the Irish coast, left here here about a month ago for New York, E. W. Thomas, deputy Sheriff, said tonight. He had resided here about ten years and owned an interest in the Loretto Copper Company and several mining prospects.

Thomas said Mr. Eva had resided in Nevada about forty years and was interested in mining properties in Esmeralda county.

ON PENSION ROLL.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

SANTA ANA, Feb. 28.—William Eva, one of the victims in the sinking of the Laconia, drew a pension from the United States government, according to a statement tonight by H. E. McAfee of this city, who had been associated with Mr. Eva a number of years in the mining business in California and Nevada.

He said Mr. Eva had spent the greater part of his time in England in late years.

McAfee said he and Mr. Eva sold their interest in the Loretto copper mine in Esmeralda county, Nevada, several years ago to Lewis M. Borden of New York.

SCHWAB'S CLOSE FRIEND.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

BISHOP, Feb. 28.—William Eva was one of America's biggest mining men, with probably more experience in the game, from prospecting to operating and experting, than any who now remain. He was an authority whose word was never questioned and who commanded capital in any amount. He had been half a century a leader in the industry and during most of that time he had headquarters here or at Big Pine, while his activities were almost without limit.

Mr. Eva was for a score of years Charles M. Schwab's close friend and representative and it was to see Mr. Schwab and associates that he left here five weeks ago for New York. He had a pitchblende proposition which he believed would almost revolutionize the radium industry and he anticipated that Mr. Schwab would be eager to take hold of it.

The day of his departure he was discussing his wide experiences with a friend and remarked that while he expected to return within a few weeks it would not be surprising if he should go to Europe.

Speaking of the war and danger of ocean travel, he laughingly said that he had made seven voyages to England, his birthplace, and felt safer on shipboard than when trying to dodge autos on the streets of San Francisco or Los Angeles.

SERVED IN CIVIL WAR.

He had sailed the deserts and the seas and when Sumter was fired upon, he enlisted in the navy and served until the close of the conflict. He was with Farragut in the admiral's memorable exploit on the Mississippi. As a fighting man and a citizen he was an intensely patriotic American, and it is to this fact that death may be indirectly attributed.

Mr. Eva was 74 years of age, and had amassed a fortune. He had retired or sought to retire many times, but always the lure of the mines or the desert overcame him and he rolled his blankets and headed for Inyo, no matter in what part of the world the fever overtook him.

During one of the periods when he was in the mood to retire four or five years ago, he decided to build himself a purely American home on property he owned a few hundred miles from London. He wanted to shew the Britishers, his countrymen, he said, that America, where he made his money, was good enough to spend it in. He had plans drawn here for an elaborate building, worth, perhaps, $15,000, took them to Chicago and had every bit of material sawed in a mill and shipped to England. Everything in the building, from the steps and wall paper to the chimneys, went from this country, all the furniture, silverware, paint and even matches to start fires, he bought in his adopted land. Not a foreign nail or tack did he allow to be used.

In that house he intended to lead a life of ease, but he did not remain long. He came back and went into mining more energetically than ever. Just before going to New York he had received an offer for the property from an English gentleman who had long wanted it as a country residence, and it is likely he concluded to go over and close the deal personally.

Last year Mr. Eva went to Europe and took green paint along to recoat his roof because he considered it good and lasting. While his man was applying it with a brush taken from America for the purpose a friend came along and asked in amazement why he was having his roof painted green. Mr. Eva saw an opportunity for a joke and replied in all seriousness that there was no telling when a flock of Zeppelins might come along to blow up the country; they would mistake his house for grass and pass it up. It was a measure of safety not to be neglected, he added. The day he left here he was still chuckling about how his joke was swallowed.

Mr. Eva was the discoverer of the famous Loretta mine near here, conceded to be the greatest copper property in the western hemisphere, and Mr. Schwab's principal California holding. On it the steel king plans to expend $2,000,000 the coming summer, preliminary to operation on an enormous scale. This was another reason for Mr. Eva's trip East and may have led him to Europe, since some of the world's greatest chemists, including a number here, have been evolving a process to handle the siliceous ore.

Mr. Eva was a heavy stockholder in the Loretta.

STRONG NEVADA FIGURE.

He was a strong figure in Nevada mining history also, and put in the first copper smelter in that State, in 1881, at Sodaville. He also discovered the rich Blue Light mine, and operated it a long time with San Francisco associates. And his judgment was sought and seldom found erroneous in the operation of hundreds of other mines. Even on his world tours, he could not escape those who relied on him so implicitly that they would undertake no great mining venture without first consulting him.

Mr. Eva never married. He said he was too busy while he was young and lacked the inclination when he was older. He was plain and unassuming, but remarkably well-read and his knowledge of minerals was little less than marvelous. He was as much at home in the world's finest hotels as in Death Valley or the high Sierras, but wherever he went his blankets went with him. He did not like the soft beds of civilization and did not care for luxuries. To him all men were the same and he made no distinction between hobo and millionaire in the kindly consideration he accorded them.

William John Eva will be missed for many a day by hundreds of prospectors who owed success, if not life itself, to him, and by men whose fortunes were built upon his counsel.

THE DANGERS OF GAMBLING.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE.]

SALT LAKE CITY, Feb. 28.—Abraham Strong and Clarence Fullbright are dying as the result of a gun battle fought with two policemen in front of one of the city's leading hotels here today. The fight was the outcome of a gambling raid.

Criticism.

VICTIM'S KIN GIRDS WILSON

Mrs. Hoy's Nephew Says it's High Time for Action.

Declares Mexico Policy has Lost Us Prestige.

Priest on the Laconia Tells of Deaths in Boat.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE.]

NEW YORK, Feb. 28.—George A. Young of this city, nephew of Mrs. Mary Hoy, who, with her daughter, lost her life on the Laconia, made public today the letters he wrote yesterday to President Wilson, Secretary Lansing, United States Senator Wadsworth of New York and Representative Walter M. Chandler of New York.

To the President, Mr. Young wrote, in part:

"You will perhaps pardon me if in this moment of distress I speak somewhat strongly. My aunt and cousin are dead, and nothing that can be done by you or the American nation can return them to life. But is it not time, sir, that you, as leader of this nation, assume your duty of leadership, stop talking and take some definite action to prevent the recurrence of such a disaster?"

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Reminding Senator Wadsworth and Representative Chandler that both himself and his father are their constituents, Mr. Young's letter to each said, in part:

"The United States of New America, by reason of its cowardly acquiescence of late years in the killing of its citizens in Mexico and on the high seas, has without any question lost the respect of nations. Is it not time that we take up Germany's gage of battle and show the world that we have still the courage of men?"

PRIEST'S STORY OF DEATH.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

LIVERPOOL, Feb. 28.—The Rev. F. Dunstan Sargent of Grenada, British West Indies, a passenger on the Laconia, who administered the last rites of the Roman Catholic church to seven passengers who perished, gave to the Associated Press today the following account of the death of Mrs. Mary Hoy and Miss Elizabeth Hoy of Chicago and Cedric P. Ivatt of London:

"Mrs. Hoy died in the arms of her daughter. Her body slipped out into the sea out of her daughter's weakened arms. The heart-broken daughter succumbed a few minutes afterwards, and her body fell over the side of the boat as we were tossed by the huge waves.

"In icy water up to her knees for two hours, the daughter all the time bravely supported her aged mother, uttering words of encouragement. From the start both were violently seasick, which, coupled with the cold and exposure, gradually wore down their courage. They were brave women."

ROBINSON FIRST TO DIE.

After a pause, Father Sargent continued:

"The first to die in our boat was W. Irvine Robinson of Toronto. After his body had been consigned to the sea we tossed about for an hour, getting more and more wet, until the gunwales were almost level with the sea. Then Mr. Ivatt, who was not physically strong, succumbed in the arms of his fiancee, who was close beside him, trying in vain to keep him warm by throwing her wealth of hair about his neck. Even after he died, she refused to give him up and although the additional weight made the situation more dangerous for us all, we yielded to her pitiful pleading and allowed her to keep the body. It was taken aboard the rescuing patrol, from which it was buried. The body aboard the patrol, at which I officiated, was a solemn and memorable ceremony.

"The Hoys were the next to pass away. Then a fireman died, and later two others of the crew who were too thinly clad to resist exposure. Altogether, we were in the boat ten hours. We were rescued in the middle of the morning."

Father Sargent said his boat was badly damaged on being launched and immediately began to leak. Owing to the heavy waves there were unable to attract the attention of the other boats or to transfer the passengers.

REPORT FROM FROST.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE.]

WASHINGTON, Feb. 28.—A report today from Consul Frost said that the Laconia's lifeboat which contained Father Dunstan Sargent and Mrs. and Miss Hoy was rescued while being lowered and sprung a leak. It floated away supported by its tanks. Mr. Frost reported having taken affidavits from survivors.

A dispatch follows:

"Death of Hoy ladies and negro Coffee, covered by affidavits. Father Dunstan Sargent and Jacob Fosteringham, shows boat No. 8 rescued and sprung in lowering against port side and filled with water at once, but floated away by its tanks. Became separated from other boats and picked up by second patrol the 28th, 7 a.m., eight of its twenty-two occupants having succumbed during the night.

"Add to American survivors two negroes, Marshall Hyland, No. 15 Broadway, New York, and Clarence Teak, New Albany, Ind. All survivors except four hospital cases left Cork 4 p.m., 27th. Will reach London and Liverpool early morning 28th. Laconia carried seventeen women, five children, all saved except Hoys. Only serious hospital case is chief engineer, who will recover. Hospital cases all due to exposure. Transhipment from boats to Admiralty vessels, rendered dangerous from heavy swell and darkness."

Another dispatch was received from Ambassador Page at London, dated 27th:

"The Admiralty informs me officially that the Laconia was torpedoed without warning.

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Intrigue.

RECALLS GERMAN ARREST IN A MEXICAN UNIFORM.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

NOGALES, Feb. 28.—W. H. Schweibs was taken into custody here last July as he alighted from a train after a round-about journey from Los Angeles and, it was understood, at the time, San Diego, Cal. He was held incommunicado for several days at army headquarters here while agents of the Department of Justice and other government agents investigated reports that he was concerned in a plot to smuggle airplanes from the United States into Mexico.

At the time of his arrest he wore clothing similar to that of a Mexican officer's field uniform and reports from Mexico after his escape across the border were to the effect that he had been made a colonel in the de facto army and was engaged in raising a foreign legion.

The reports added his recruits were very few.

CUBAN REBEL DEAD FILL THREE WAGONS.

[BY CABLE AND A. P.]

HAVANA, Feb. 28.—A message from Manzanillo giving the story of an eye-witness of the battle for Bayamo, Oriente province, between government forces under Col. Betancourt and rebels attacking that city, places the number of government casualties at four dead and fourteen wounded. The rebel dead were gathered in three wagons of the sanitation department.

Although it became definitely known here today that about 350 American marines were landed yesterday at Guantanamo for the purpose of guarding sugar mills and other property from possible damage, officials here would not discuss the matter. No mention of the landing was made in official reports and not a single Havana newspaper touched upon the subject today.

CALLS IT BAIT.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

CHICAGO BUREAU OF THE TIMES, Feb. 28.—Attorneys representing Mrs. Lillian Felsenthal, who was arrested a few days ago on a charge of passing forged checks, applied for a writ of habeas corpus today. The check was for $900 and was signed by L. M. Moore of Los Angeles. The writ sets forth that the check is genuine and that it was given to Mrs. Felsenthal by Moore. The writ further states that Mrs. Felsenthal left her husband here to live in Los Angeles with Moore and her arrest is a part of a plot to force her to return to live with him. Mrs. Felsenthal's husband is a chauffeur and her attorneys state that they have been reconciled.

DEAL ENDS QUARREL OVER BEET TERRITORY.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

OGDEN (Utah) Feb. 28.—A deal that will settle disputed sugar beet territory of a year's standing will be closed tomorrow when the Amalgamated Sugar Company of Ogden acquires from the Utah-Idaho Sugar Company the Brigham City factory and contracts for 5000 acres of beets for a consideration of approximately $650,000.

The Brigham plant is fully equipped for operation and has a daily capacity of 500 tons.

STATE WANTS RIGHT TO RULE JITNEYS.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 28.—A bill giving the State Railroad Commission statute jurisdiction over jitney busses operating on public highways outside of municipalities is to be introduced in the Legislature soon, the commission announced here today. It would force such bus operators to apply to the commission for certificates of public convenience and give the commission regulatory powers over stock, bond and notes issues of companies operating that class of busses, compelling them also to file fares and schedules.

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Bomb Case Defendant to Have Help of Union's Counsel.

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Trials of two other bomb defendants, Mrs. Rena Mooney and Israel Weinberg, were put over a month with other murder indictments against Mooney and Billings.

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The children were playing about an old buggy and young Gilbert was standing on the back of it when an older boy jerked the shafts and hurled the little fellow backward. The boy's head struck on a jagged rock, fracturing the skull, and the older boy in his excitement proceeded to push the buggy backwards so that one of the wheels all but severed Gilbert's left ear from his head.

Attending doctors were obliged to cut out bits of the bone from the skull in dressing the wound.

Monrovia.

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Most of the growers in this district secured $2.25 to $2.50 for their crop in the field, but the wise ones who held for an advance are being offered $3.50 and more, it is claimed today. It cost about 60 cents to produce 100 pounds of potatoes here.

While the spenders are buying automobiles, the conservative ranchers are investing their big profits in land or farm machinery, and are planning for the coming season's crop. Because of the high cost of seed and general food conditions, they predict the next crop will command a good price, even if not as high as that of the present time.

Home Burns.

SAVE THE BABY.

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ORANGE GROVE AT REDLANDS SOLD.

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

REDLANDS, Feb. 28.—The largest real estate deal made for some time was completed yesterday when Herbert Hubbard, son of A. G. Hubbard, the millionaire mining man of this city, purchased the beautiful home and property of Mrs. Thomas H. Robinson, Jr., near the Country Club. The property consists of twelve acres in navel and Valencia oranges and a modern twelve-room house. The price was $40,000. Mr. Hubbard is the owner of a seventy-acre ranch in the Crafton district. Mrs. Robinson will go East in June, where she plans to stay for about three years, while her daughter is at Westover.

JURY CUT PRICE OF RIGHT OF WAY.

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

PORTERVILLE, Feb. 28.—C. A. Hamel practically lost his suit with the Minkler Southern Railroad, brought against him to secure property for rights of way purposes across his land, as a part of the Santa Fe plans for an extension into Porterville. Hamel was given $3662 as damages for crossing his orange grove property in the Sunnyside district, which is about $1800 less than the railroad people had agreed to give him.

On the strength of this verdict it is understood other property owners of the Sunnyside section, who had refused to settle, are now offering to compromise with the railroad.

Long Beach.

KELP BOATS IN A NEW FIELD.

Enter Point Firmin After Three Months' Rest.

Present System in Effect for New Growth.

Belief Expressed it will Bring Good Results.

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

LONG BEACH, Feb. 28.—Kelp harvesters from both Long Beach and Los Angeles potash plants will descend tomorrow on the Point Firmin kelp beds, after a three months' lay-off from the weeds of that region, to permit regrowth. The onslaught will last for from sixty to ninety days, when the Redondo and Rocky Point beds, which were deserted today, are expected to be in condition for further cutting.

This action was decided upon today at a meeting of the Pacific Kelp Manufacturers' Association, which embraces Long Beach and Los Angeles potash companies. The vote to again invade the Point Firmin field was unanimous, as was the decision to restrict operations among the Redondo and Rocky Point beds.

In the absence of legislative provisions for the conservation of the Southern California fields, which provide one of the richest industries of the Southwest, the kelp men for their own interests have taken it upon themselves to adopt rules and restrictions bearing upon the operations of the valuable beds and are co-operating with great success.

GO TO COMPTON.

Members of the Board of Education today passed a resolution permitting any of the expelled Greek letter fraternity High School students to attend any other high school in the State, a measure necessary for the admittance of the students into another school in California, according to the State law barring secret societies in preparatory institutions. Since the expelled students will not be allowed to attend Long Beach High School for the remainder of the present term at least, a number of them today expressed their intention of enrolling in the Compton Union High School.

ANOTHER CANDIDATE.

Dr. John M. Forsyth, president of the State Board of Optometry, today announced his candidacy for the Board of Education, naming George M. La Shell as his verification deputy. There will be two jobs open on the Board of Education. Dr. Forsyth is the fifth to declare his candidacy. The others are H. G. Cleveland, Myra Kingman Miller, J. C. Osborne and Dr. G. H. Galbraith, incumbent.

COLORED PASTOR FOUND DEAD

Rev. O. O. D. Steele, pastor of the colored Methodist Mission Church, was found dead in his bed at his residence, No. 928 Washington street, this noon. Dr. Ralph Taylor, city health officer, was called, and after an examination of the body said heart disease was the cause of death.

SEEKS TO RECOVER A STOLEN BOAT.

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

LOS ANGELES HARBOR, Feb. 28.—Alleging that his fishing boat, Aufspra, which was stolen from this port in January, 1914, is being used at San Diego under another name, Bert Johnson appealed to the police today to help him recover the craft.

The boat was the property of Swan Lee, when stolen. Lee was ill at the time and died shortly afterwards. Johnson is working to recover the boat for Lee's relatives, who live in Portland, Or. He says the boat can be easily identified as the Aufspra because of her peculiar construction. The boat was formerly a fast racing yacht on San Francisco Bay.

TOY AIRPLANE HITS BOY IN THE EYE.

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

POMONA, Feb. 28.—While flying a toy airplane, Donald Harrison, 11-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Harrison, who reside at No. 250 Jefferson street, nearly lost his left eye. The flyer with which he was playing is of the type resembling a small electric fan. When it spun off the stick from which it was fired the tin rudder flew into the boy's face, striking him above the left eye, between the eyeball and the upper arch of the socket. A deep wound was inflicted and the eye was cut so badly that it hung from the socket. The attending physician thinks that the sight can be restored, but it will be necessary for the boy to lie flat on his back for at least two weeks and a medicine for dilating the pupil will have to be applied every hour.

CITY POLITICS BOILING.

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

SAN LUIS OBISPO, Feb. 28.—With but three more days remaining in which to file nomination certificates for the coming municipal campaign the local political kettle is gathering increased steam. In the field for places on the City Commission are C. B. Hughston, Dan Wolf, George H. Andrews and John Chapek. Mayor W. M. Stover is a candidate to succeed himself.

BIG BOND CAMPAIGN.

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

PORTERVILLE Feb. 28. — The most carefully-planned political organization in the history of Tulare county has been completed to have charge of the good roads bonds campaign, which will come to an issue March 7, when the voters will pass on the proposal for an issue of bonds in the sum of $2,250,000 for good roads purposes.

NO DAMAGE.

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

PORTERVILLE, Feb. 28.—Surveys which have been completed by orange brokers and packing-house men of this district have resulted in a formal statement to the effect that no commercial damage has been done to the Valencia crop as a result of the unusual cold weather in January.

RATTLESNAKE KING DIES.

Life Lost from Bite of Reptile—Sold Them Alive.

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

VENTURA, Feb. 28.—J. Cotterel, the rattlesnake king, has passed on, having succumbed to the poisons of one of the reptiles.

According to his own estimate $6000 of them were captured by him and sold while alive, using a long pole like a broom-stick with wires on the end, which he could fasten on the head of the reptiles. He did most of his trapping in Santa Barbara and San Luis Obispo counties, disposing of them to the Chinese for medicinal purposes and which he carried about with him by suitcase full.

REV. AMOS KENWORTHY PASSES AWAY.

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

WHITTIER, Feb. 28.—Word was received here this afternoon of the death at Denair today of Rev. Amos Kenworthy, aged 85 years, for just half a century a prominent Friends minister. Rev. Kenworthy has made his home here for several years past and was spending the winter with his son, Rev. Oliver Kenworthy, at Denair. Amos Kenworthy was a minister of the old type of Quakerism, and was well known throughout the Friends meetings of America, Canada, Great Britain and Ireland.

Death came to this aged minister as a result of an attack of grippe some two months ago. He leaves besides his son at Denair another son here, Charles H. Kenworthy of Fairham drive. The funeral service will be held here at a time to be announced later.

WELL-KNOWN CIVIL ENGINEER DIES.

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

WHITTIER, Feb. 28.—W. H. Elliott, a well-known civil engineer of Southern California, died suddenly at his home here this morning. The funeral services will be held Friday afternoon, at 2:30 o'clock.

The deceased came here two years ago from Pomona, where they had resided seven years. Prior to that time they lived at Yuma.

Mr. Elliott has until recently been engaged in professional work at Yuma. He leaves a widow, two sons, Warren and Bruce, students of Pomona College, and two daughters, Miss Maurine Elliott, a teacher in the Whittier High School, and Miss Lucile Elliott, a teacher in the Truckee High School.

DEMANDS A VOTE ON DANCING ISSUE.

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

SANTA MONICA, Feb. 28.—Mayor S. L. Berkley was notified today by Paul Schenck, spokesman for the cafe owners in Santa Monica, that the ordinance passed yesterday, placing a ban upon dancing in cafes where liquor is sold, would be put up to a referendum vote.

Tonight all the cafes have signs in front of their places reading "Dancing Tonight." The new ordinance gives owners thirty days to close, and by that time, say cafe proprietors, the issue will be settled.

If the question is put to a referendum, say the ministers and others who backed the new ordinance, there will be started an agitation to close all saloons and cafes Sundays and week days at 10 o'clock.

AID GIVEN FOREST FIRE PROTECTION.

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

RIVERSIDE, Feb. 28.—Forest Supervisor N. H. Sloan of the Cleveland National Forest appeared before the Board of Supervisors today, and, as a result of representations made, the board made an appropriation of $1000 for fire protection, to be included in the next budget, conditioned on the raising of $500 by water companies directly affected.

The forester pointed out that Riverside county, with its interests in the Hemet-San Jacinto-Elsinore section dependent for water supply on the forested slopes of the San Jacinto range, and Corona, interested in water sources in the Santa Ana range, had so far failed to co-operate with the government in the work of preserving the forest cover of these ranges.

NO FAIR SUNDAYS AT RIVERSIDE.

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

RIVERSIDE, Feb. 28.—On the strength of the assurance that the Riverside County Fair would not open on Sunday this year, the Board of Supervisors today appropriated $4000 to be used for premiums.

Judge Hugh H. Craig of the Superior Court was a member of the delegation appearing before the board, and voiced the assurance that the fair would be closed up tight on Sunday.

SANTA MONICA BACKS LOT GARDENS.

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

SANTA MONICA, Feb. 28.—The "back to the soil" movement started by this city is gaining headway here.

The city has offered prizes aggregating $50 for the best results. In addition it offers to plow up the lots. If the contestant is without property the city agrees to find a vacant lot near by.

Commissioner Carter and Mayor Berkley are in charge.

Be an Exception.

Don't wait until the last moment to telephone your Sunday ads. to The Times. Do it Friday or early Saturday. Main 8200—10031.

Soldiers and Sailors.

PICK SAN DIEGO AND SAN PEDRO

Naval Commission Makes Report to Congress.

Favors Establishing Academy for Training.

Submarine Base for Los Angeles Harbor.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

SAN DIEGO, Feb. 28.—A recommendation to Congress that North Island be secured for a combined army and navy aeronautical academy, as it is the only logical site in the United States for such a purpose, has been made by Rear-Admiral James Helm and his conferees on additional navy yards and naval facilities, who made a trip of inspection along the Pacific Coast recently for the purpose of reporting on sites.

The report was received here today from Washington and the committee also recommended the main submarine training base be at San Pedro on account of the superior torpedo proving grounds available at that port.

It was recommended that immediate steps be taken by the government to purchase North Island. Capt. A. A. Cunningham, U.S.M.C., aviation expert of the committee, said that North Island was ideal for airplanes and dirigibles and declared the acquisition of the island essential for the upbuilding of aerial defenses. The committee recommended "that the Secretary of the Navy be authorized to purchase for aviation purposes North Island and recommends that any funds that may have been or may be appropriated for naval or aerial purposes may be considered available to carry this into effect, and that the further sum of $500,000 be appropriated toward acquisition and development."

EIGHT MILLIONS AVAILABLE.

The appropriations for army and naval aeronautics for the fiscal year are $50,000,000, and of this $4,000,000 are to be spent to purchase aviation bases. North Island is now a permanent station for Co. A, an aerial battle unit, and will serve in the Navy Department as the south terminal of supply base of the proposed Pacific Coast aerial patrol.

Capt. John B. Brooks and fifty enlisted men left tonight on the President for San Francisco to sail from there for Honolulu to form the seventh aero squadron, in command of Capt. John Curry. The remaining officer preceded the men some weeks ago. The men will sail on the transport Sheridan from San Francisco March 5. Another company of fifty men will leave there March 10 for Panama to form the sixth aero squadron, under command of Capt. Harry H. Arnold, who is there now. Both seaplane squadrons will be strengthened to 163 men and eighteen officers, to be sent from North Island academy as soon as the men are available there.

Each squadron will have sixteen 250-horse-power seaplanes with a wing spread of seventy-seven feet and a flying radius of 550 miles.

Monrovia.

GEORGE ADAMS DIES.

Well Known in the Theatrical World, and One of the First to Establish a Vaudeville Circuit in the Middle West. Ill for Long Time.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

MONROVIA, Feb. 28.—George Ira Adams, who on February 2, 1903, started the Crystal Theater, Denver's first vaudeville house, died at his home here last night, aged 58. He had been in ill health for ten years. Six years ago he left Denver, after seeing his one little theater grow to a circuit that embraced a dozen Middle Western cities, and came to Los Angeles. In the fall of 1913 he purchased three acres in the heart of the exclusive residence district of this city and built one of the most beautiful homes in the valley.

Surviving him is his widow, Mrs. Addie M. Adams. Two children, Georgia Ines and Gage Ira, are dead. Georgia, born in 1895, passing on in 1898 and Gage, born in 1899, living only until 1905. Funeral services will be held from the home at 211 North Magnolia, Friday at 2 p.m., Rev. Arthur F. Skeie, pastor of the Congregational Church, officiating. On the following Tuesday Mrs. Adams and her nephew, Harry H. Bleecker of Sierra Madre, will start with the body for Mr. Adams's birthplace, Columbus, Wis., where he will be laid beside his father, mother and two children.

Born near Lowell, Wis., Mr. Adams early in life moved to Sabotha, Kan., where he engaged in the hardware business for a number of years. In 1903 he went to Denver and into the theatrical business. His Crystal Theater was the foundation of a big fortune made in vaudeville, and before retiring he not only owned a long string of theaters in Colorado, Missouri, Kansas and other Mid-Western States, but booked extensively for the Pacific Coast. He was one of the best-known and best-liked theatrical men in Denver.

Though most of the time in ill health since coming to Monrovia, Mr. Adams made a wide circle of friends here and his death will be widely mourned.

UNDELIVERED TELEGRAMS.

There are telegrams at the main office of the Western Union for C. B. Channel, Mrs. J. K. Cummins, Angel Camoy, William Doughty, Mrs. Charles Davenport, Judge F. W. Ewing, Miss Gertrude Gilbert, E. F. Grobitch, Lewis W. Lee, D. G. MacDonald, Mrs. O. W. Moore, F. MacPherson, R. O. Noble, Mrs. Mary Shea, E. W. Sinclair, R. E. Spivey, C. G. Titus and Mrs. Myrtle Varnell; at the Postal for Mrs. Bessie Swade, Roy B. Guild, Miss Jane Conine, Miss Pauline Williams, Julius Lew, Harry J. Robinson, Retailers' Reporting Agency, Hal Stevens and P. E. Cleland.

FOR OWL EMPLOYEES.

John D. Barry, well-known writer and lecturer, addressed the employees of the Owl Drug Company last night in the ballroom of the Angelus Hotel. His subject was "Keeping Abreast of the Times." Mr. Barry was a member of the Forst Peace Committee.

PRICE OF PORK IN GERMANY.

Ventura Man Receives Letter from His Mother Telling of Sale of a Hog.

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

VENTURA, Feb. 28.—Although not in the direct path of the war zone, prices in pork are soaring high in Northern Germany, according to a letter just received by William Jenssen of this city.

The letter was written in November and is from his mother, in which she states that a 324-pound hog sold from their place for which they received $417, which amounts to $1.29 per pound.

Wages also have increased accordingly; a brother working in the ammunition factory now receives $1 per hour for which the same services rendered previously to the war amounted to from 40 to 50 cents per hour.

SHOW BREAKS EVEN IN ITS FINANCES.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

SAN BERNARDINO, Feb. 28.—One hundred ten thousand people visited the seventh National Orange Show in the eight days ending tonight when the show closed after a successful run despite unfavorable weather during the first half of the week. Officials declared tonight that the show will break about even financially.

LONDON ORDERS ONE HUNDRED SEALS.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

SANTA BARABARA, Feb. 28.—What is declared to be a record order for seals has been received by a local dealer. A London amusement concern wants 100. The animals will be captured at Santa Cruz Island.

HEADS ANTI-WAR SOCIETY.

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

SANTA ANA, Feb. 28.—Opposition to a declaration of war with Germany and opposition to entering into war at all were expressed in a resolution passed by a meeting at which a nonsectarian and nonpartisan organization was formed for the discussion of various subjects relating to governmental affairs. L. A. Sweet was elected president; C. H. Wilson, vice-president; Mrs. Sophie E. Hardy, secretary, and Mrs. Barbara Brooks, treasurer.

OIL SHOWERS DEPOT.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

POMONA, Feb. 28.—When a gang of Mexican section hands placed a barrel of oil on a bonfire in the Southern Pacific yards here in order to warm the crude oil so it could be poured out and sprinkled over crushed rock along the track the petroleum got too hot and blew up. A hole as big as hat was torn out of one side of the barrel. The passenger depot was showered with burning oil and the fire department had a lively time extinguishing the blaze.

PERFECT SCORES.

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

SAN LUIS OBISPO, Feb. 28. — Among the 142 city and county health officials throughout California who made perfect scores by reporting health conditions in their respective jurisdiction during 1916 were W. F. Cook, city health officer of San Luis Obispo; Dr. H. M. Cox, county health officer here, and Dr. T. A. Hurley, city health officer of Paso Robles, according to the report of the State Board of Health received yesterday.

BICYCLE THEFTS NUMEROUS.

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

SANTA MONICA, Feb. 28.—In order to put a stop to bicycle thefts, prevalent in the bay district, the police are asking all owners to register their numbers. A theory of the police is that transient visitors oft find themselves without return carfare. Therefore whenever they find a stranger in the possession of a bicycle they can determine the name of the owner by the registered number.

WIELD POLITICAL AX.

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

SAN LUIS OBISPO, Feb. 28.—The official heads of six county officeholders were lopped off by the Board of Supervisors in session yesterday. Those who felt the ax are Dr. H. M. Cox, county health officer; Dr. Charles Eastman, county live-stock inspector; George W. Robbins, county wharfinger, and Tom Henry, Paso Robles; William Shuttle, Templeton, and Lou P. Fraser, Atascadero, horticultural inspectors.

NOT GUILTY.

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

SOUTH PASADENA, Feb. 28.—A jury in Justice Crump's court yesterday brought in a verdict of not guilty in the case of James C. Sheeley of Pasadena, arraigned on a charge of reckless driving. Sheeley is the man whose automobile hit and killed Mrs. H. L. E. Smith, wife of the Hotel Raymond cashier, the evening of January 27. This was his second trial. The first trial, held one week ago, resulted in a divided jury.

DIES IN ROCKING CHAIR.

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

MONROVIA, Feb. 28.—Mrs. Abdied while sitting in a rocking chair at her home on Fifth more than a year. After spending the day at the home of a daughter, Mrs. Ralph Preston, in Azusa, she complained of being unusually tired. Almost immediately after seating herself in an easy chair she fell forward, dead. The funeral services will be held from the Reniker chapel tomorrow morning at 10 o'clock, Rev. W. D. Landis officiating.

HAS RESIGNED.

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

SAN LUIS OBISPO, Feb. 28.—The resignation of George E. Kirby as assistant postmaster is in the hands of the postal authorities, to take effect March 1. Postmaster Barnett is awaiting instructions from the department at Washington in regard to the appointment of a successor. Albert Altwait is next in line under civil service.

Classified Liners.

AGATE TYPE ONLY.

Accepted subject to the following rates and rules: Rates: The rate for inserting Want Ads in the Daily Times is 1c per word each insertion; in the Sunday Issue, 1½c per word each insertion; minimum charge, 25c. Applicable to each count of 5 consecutive words; a space count of five letters constitutes a word. Under the classification, the rate for which is 2c per word daily, 2½c per word Sunday, 3c per word daily and Sunday; applicable to 6 words inserted and to each consecutive insertion, 20c daily, 25c Sunday. Under the classifications of "Diamonds and Jewelry," "Furniture," "Musical Instruments," "Pianos," "Phonographs," "Typewriters," "Detectives," "Investments," and "Autos and Marine," An extra charge of 25 per cent is made for the use of capital letters.

Minimum space for classified advertisements ordered for more than one insertion, 10 words.

White space and display are charged for on the basis of seven agate lines to 1 inch.

Ads. not paid are counted strictly by the word. For purposes of judging the number set in each estimate five average words to a line. Ten set in caps, estimate five to average words to the line, and eight (8) average words to each line set in bold face. No ads. accepted for less than one insertion. In this kind of advertising the actual number of words set solid is counted, and eight (8) words added for each additional line.

The Times reserves the right to classify all advertisements under appropriate headings.

The Times cannot guarantee accuracy or assume responsibility for errors of any kind occurring in advertisements.

The Times will not be responsible for more than one incorrect insertion of any advertisement ordered for more than one time.

Errors not the fault of the advertiser, which may occur in the first insertion, will be rectified only by republication, without extra charge, on presentation of receipt within five days after insertion. No allowance will be made where the error does not materially affect the value or purpose of the advertisement.

No adjustment will be made for advertising items not affected by an error or errors which may occur in other items in the same advertisement.

Advertisers should retain receipts given by the Times for purposes of "checks," as no claims will be rectified without them.

The Times will not accept items or verbal orders to discontinue or change until further advertisements.

The Times reserves to themselves advertising in The Times are numbered in the order of their receipt, and in each instance the number of the order is given to the advertiser, who should make a record thereof. In case of dispute no charge for advertising will be rebated unless the "copy order" number is presented to The Times by the advertiser.

The Sunday circulation of The Times exceeds 100,000 copies, and more "lines" are regularly printed in its columns than in the six other Los Angeles newspapers combined.

Telephone your want advertisements. Mail to us or bring to our office. Messenger boys at all times of day or night, and secure prompt and careful attention.

The Times does not knowingly accept objectionable advertisements of any kind or character—financial, medical, theatrical, matrimonial, etc., and it does not knowingly permit fraudulent or misleading advertising. This is a guarantee to the readers of The Times as well as to the legitimate advertising patrons.

INSTANT SERVICE FOR TIMES PATRONS.

For the convenience of patrons who may desire to reply to classified advertisements printed in The Times, a card containing a list of such advertisements will be placed in the Times office every evening at 8 o'clock. Those desiring to call for mail addressed to them will find it there. The letters are located as follows:

BETHUNE BLOCK, 140 S. SPRING ST. (Lobby near elevator.)

BROADWAY CENTRAL, 454 S. BROADWAY. (Lobby near elevator.)

BUMILLER BLDG., 430 S. BROADWAY. (Lobby near elevator.)

COLUMBIA TRUST BLDG., 312 W. THIRD ST. (Lobby near elevator.)

DELTA BLDG., 426 S. SPRING ST. (Lobby near elevator.)

GARLAND BLDG., 740 S. BROADWAY. (Lobby near elevator.)

GERMAIN BLDG., 224 S. SPRING ST. (Lobby near elevator.)

GRANT BLDG., 325 S. BROADWAY. (Front of elevator.)

HIGGINS BLDG., SECOND AND MAIN STS. (Lobby near elevator.)

H. W. HELLMAN BLDG., FOURTH AND SPRING. (Near elevator, fourth street.)

HINKENBAUGH BLDG., FOURTH AND SPRING STS. (Lobby near elevator.)

I. W. HELLMAN BLDG., 411 S. MAIN ST. (Near C. D. S. mail box.)

L. A. INVESTMENT BLDG., 258 S. BROADWAY. (Lobby near elevator.)

LANKERSHIM BLDG., 326 W. THIRD ST. (Lobby near elevator.)

LAUGHLIN BLDG., 315 S. BROADWAY. (Next to U. S. mail box.)

MAHIN-STRONG BLDG., FIFTH, SPRING & MAIN. (Lobby near elevator.)

MASON BLDG., FOURTH AND BROADWAY. (Lobby near elevator.)

MERCHANTS TRUST BLDG., 207 S. BROADWAY. (Opposite U. S. mail box.)

O. T. JOHNSON BLDG., FOURTH & BROADWAY. (Lobby near elevator.)

PACIFIC ELECTRIC BLDG., 600-610 S. MAIN ST. (Lobby near elevator.)

C. WESLEY ROBERTS BLDG., THIRD & MAIN. (Lobby near elevator.)

SAN FERNANDO BLDG., 400 S. MAIN. (Lobby near elevator.)

The locations of additional boxes will be published as they are installed.

Main Office, First and Broadway.
Branch Office, 1243 E. Seventh st.
2011 E. Branch. 722-726 S. Hill st.

TODAY'S Real "Snaps."
Numerous Chances of the Kind.

MOTION Picture Scenarios wanted quick to fill orders. Must have gilt-edge plots and original ideas. You can deliver the goods; we'll get the prices. See us.
MOTION PICTURE SERVICE.
702 Delta Bldg., 630 South Spring, L. A.

OXYOLINE Apparatus. Ned Armstrong, for rent at moderate rates, or for sale, only three years in use. San Gabriel, Box 1, Box 278.

SPECIAL NOTICES—

CLASSIFIED ADVERTISEMENTS.

Ads. for the real estate section of Sunday's Times will be printed under the heading of Los Lots to Choose From if not received before 8 p.m. Saturday. Otherwise under Lots for Sale.

ORIENTAL RUGS FAKED. ELECTRIC CAR test proves, which Swedish museum. 22 ELM AVE., Long Beach, Cal. Sunset 3005.

BUTTER EARLY THAN LATE.
Telephone your real estate advertisements to The Times Friday, or early Saturday. MAIN 8200—10031.

FOR QUICK ACTION DROP ANSWERS TO "Liners" in Times letter boxes in down-town office buildings. The locations of the boxes are printed in the first column of the Times "Liner" section.

PERSONAL—Business.

PERSONAL—PROF. CAIRO, RENOWNED EGYPTIAN PALMIST. Do you know who Prof. Cairo is? If considering (asking any important step), don't neglect to consult him. His advice may save you serious mistakes, no matter what your difficulty; he tells you plainly what to do. Advice on all important affairs of life. Engagements etc. car on appointment. 424 GLADYS AVE. Broadway 1580. PHONE FOR APPOINTMENT.

PERSONAL—TO ALL CONCERNED: THIS TO advise that my wife, Clara Rodgers Hoag, has left my bed and board without cause and will not be responsible for any debts contracted by her. HARRY H. HOAG.

PERSONAL—NOTICE! Mrs. Jessie M. Mason, assistant Senior Progressive Examiner, Pacific Coast Business College, announces the opening of her new department, PENMANSHIP NOTES, 1424 S. Hill. Phone 10212.

PERSONAL—HERBS WANTED. FOR HEAD D. Cole, 1 barn important information. Write GEOR

Classified Liners.

WANTED— Help, Male.

Space is not given under this heading to advertisements soliciting business patronage.

WANTED—PRESSERS FOR LADIES COATS AND suits. A1917 at REICH & LIEVER, 729 S. Broadway, 4th floor, linen bldg.

WANTED—BOOK-KEEPER AND STENOGRAPHER, good local concern, $100.
Stenographer, assistant book-keeper, $78, advancement.
Stenographer, assistant book-keeper, $60, auto concern.
Telephone operator, $75.
Piano tuner, statement machine work, $65-$70.
Hand letter, ledger clerk, long hours, $60.
Assistant bookkeeper, good penmans, $60 and $65.
Solicitor, young man, good personality, $15-$18.
OUT OF THE STATE EMPLOYERS HERE.
Timekeeper, single, for large concern, $120-$125.
Bookkeeper, must speak Spanish, $115-$120. Apply before 9 a.m.
Two stenographers, one familiar tabulation machine, for large mining company, $110-$125. Apply before 11 a.m.
Stenographer, experienced, must be able to send letters in Spanish directly. $125-$150.
PACIFIC AUDIT & SYSTEM CO., INC., Agency, Suite 418 Pay Bldg., 3rd and Hill sts.

WANTED—
Iron moulder (steady work) ..... $4.50 day
Core maker (machine) ..... $3 to $3.50 day
Core maker (bench) ..... $3 day
2 lathe men (machine) ..... $40 mo., bd.
Lathe man (engine) ..... $50 to $60 mo.
Man and wife (boarding house) $60 mo., bd.
Salesman (apartment house) ..... $50 mo.
Salesman (cigars) ..... $100 mo.
Cooking (woman (sewer work) ..... $2.50 day
Cook (camp) ..... $60 mo., fd.
Dishwasher (camp) ..... $45 mo., fd.
2 machine molders ..... $3.75 day
Men with wheels and boys for factory work.
MURRAY AND READY EMPLOYMENT CO., 129 E. 2nd st.

WANTED—25 EXPERIENCED DRAPERY SALESmen; must have thorough knowledge of all lines of drapery goods; an opportunity for the right men. PERMANENT POSITIONS. ADDRESS P. O. BOX 400, TIMES SPRING ST. BRANCH.

WANTED—TUCKER'S EMPLOYMENT AGENCY, 211½ W. 3rd st. Cafe cooks, $45; waitresses, $7; waiter, $6; waiter to work 10 to 2; girls to serve in cafeteria; waitresses, all kinds, $6 week; institution cook, city and country hotel and rooming-house maids, general housework help, $20 to $35; janitor and chambermaid, $40.

WANTED—15 EXTRA WAITRESSES; 20 HOTEL waitresses, city and country; 4 counter waitresses; 2 soda fountain girls; 4 chambermaids, $25 and found; 2 lunch waitresses; head waitress; 2 waitresses, Arizona. TOURIST EMPLOYMENT AGENCY, 340 S. Spring st., Room 210.

WANTED—FAMILY COOK, $60; COOK AND second maid, $45-$50; many private families to call on or city, $35, $40, 1 adult, Glendale, $45; housework, $30; 2 in family, $35; BONDED SERVICE CO., 430 Bdwy., room 817.

WANTED—FOR IMPERIAL VALLEY, FIRST-class experienced dentist and dental assistant position. $75. For local position; A1 dictaphone operator, $75. F. S. HAYES, agency for Everything Human for the Office," Investment Bldg.

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WANTED—IMMEDIATELY, 2 EXPERIENCED female solicitors who are prepossessing and not afraid of work. Give reference and address where can be seen. Address R., box 788, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED — EXPERIENCED FLOOR MAN FOR furniture sales; salary and commission; must be well dressed, neat and mannerable; one who will stand by and work for the store. City reference! Answer, P. O. box 1447, City.

WANTED—BOY, INTELLIGENT BOY, FOR general house and yard; to work by wheeler. Apply at 7:45 a.m. or 6 p.m. 821 S. Hill st.

WANTED—3 YOUNG MEN AS APPRENTICES to learn the trade of cutting, creasing and packing. R. E. SALMON, Wholesale Grocer, 2nd and Los Angeles sts.

WANTED—DRAFTSMAN, EXPERIENCED DESIGNER of gasoline engines; must be familiar with Gilbert conservatory office, 812 Sanborn Bldg.

WANTED—PHOTOGRAPHER, A-1, DEVELOPing paper worker, with good and quality; steady position. WESTERN ART CO., 6821 Hollywood.

WANTED—ERRAND BOY WITH WHEEL, GOOD wages; must satisfy PLAZA PHARMACY, Spring and Temple. Broadway Bldg.

WANTED—MAN TO WASH DISHES; MUST BE good and have experience; references required. Wages $7 per week and board. Write full particulars. Address P. O. box 1447, City.

WANTED—3 EXPERIENCED SILK SALESMEN, $25 per week and 10% commission. Apply Room 1, 2nd floor, 307 W. 3rd st.

WANTED—LOCAL COLLECTOR WANTED IN this city for magazine and book specialties; good salary and commission. Call Union League Bldg., Los Angeles.

WANTED—807 FOR DRUG STORE, WITH EXperience preferred. Come ready to work. 109 E. 3rd.

WANTED — FIRST-CLASS TAILOR, STEADY work, good pay. Apply 894 BROADway Central Bldg., 324 Broadway.

WANTED—PRINTING PLATES FROM FEEDER WHO can also assist in job composition. Apply 310 Broadway.

WANTED—FIRST-CLASS PRESSER ON GENT'S clothing. Call at once. Apply at 317½ S. Hope. CHICO'S DYE WORKS, 1236 San Julian st.

WANTED — AT CYLINDER GRINDER, EXPERIenced on white; also one on colors. Call at once 7th, bet. 607, TIMES HILL ST.

WANTED — TWO YOUNG MEN TO LEARN automobile; complete work; home while serving. Call 5 to 8 at 221 HIGGINS BLDG.

WANTED—EXPERIENCED BOOK-KEEPING AND typewriting; state salary. Address P. O. box 1447, City. CENTRAL BUSINESS COLLEGE, Chamber Commerce Bldg.

WANTED — AT TOMORROW'S TOP BULLPEN, WE have two good men positions open that will pay at least $1200 a year. Inquire of CHANSLOR & LYON Co. 1206 S. Hope.

WANTED—BOY FOR DELIVERY ON WHEEL; must work in grocery store. 1230 W. 7th st.

WANTED—BOY TO HELP WITH WORK MORNings and evenings; must be of small apartment. Apply 1207 S. Hope.

WANTED — COMPOSITOR EXPERIENCED IN working with rule. LOS ANGELES RUBBER SHOE CO., 131 E. 9th st.

WANTED—EXPERIENCED MANUFACTURING optician required. Address P. O. box 1447, City.

WANTED—EXPERIENCED BUTTER MAKER IN creamery. Lodi Creamery, Phone EDWT. 6 or 16272.

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WANTED—LABOR BOY WITH WHEEL FOR OFfice work. Apply NEW METHOD LAUNDRY, 7 E. 9th.

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WANTED—BARBER, BENCH MAN. APPLY 2 E. Hill st. PROGRESSIVE SHOE REPAIRING.

WANTED—2 AUTOMOBILE MECHANICS; MUST be absolutely first-class. Call SOUTH 6696-J.

WANTED—MACHINIST, GOOD LATHE HAND. 1100 S. MAIN St.

WANTED—
Help, Male.

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Boys to handle stock, by Reich & Lievers. Apply Tuesday morning 11 o'clock and entire week thereafter, at stage in Lucas Bldg.

WANTED—ORCHARD HAND USED TO PLOWing and irrigation; permanent place for the right person. State age, reference and salary expected. Address J., box 86, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—YOUNG MAN ASSISTANT CASHIER, hotel; city, 60; state. C. AND C. EMPLOYMENT AGENCY, 121 2nd st.

WANTED—YOUNG MAN IN WORK IN AUTO repair shop and learn trade. Splendid opportunity for right man. Call early. 1140 Maple ave.

WANTED — BUSHELMAN. APPLY 406 HAMBURGER BLDG.

WANTED—YOUNG MAN TO WORK IN GARAGE at nights. Apply 2219 S. HOOVER.

WANTED—
Help, Male and Females.
(Investment Required.)

WANTED — EARN $100 WEEKLY MANAGING clean, legitimate mail order business. We furnish everything. Right party need not worry about capital. Splendid chance for intelligent, employed person to control independent business on profit sharing basis, beginning in spare time, ultimately full time. Particulars free. OPPORTUNITIES EXCHANGE, Buffalo, N. Y.

WANTED — RELIABLE MAN TO WORK AND help in established business for old established firm; will pay $140 per month; previous experience unnecessary; $250 required; fully secured by capital and assets. Room 2254, WILCOX BLDG., 206 S. Spring st.

WANTED—PREPARING TO ESTABLISH HIGH class business enterprise here in Los Angeles, several good positions will soon be open in different departments to right parties. Those of good character, $1000 to $5000 cash or cash basis. Address H, box 547, TIMES SPRING ST. BRANCH.

WANTED—HANDY MAN WHO HAS $800 HE can invest which will be satisfactorily secured for general work of old established manufacturing business; an excellent place for man who wants steady job; will pay $125 per month to begin. No experience necessary if willing to learn. Call 4101 MONETA AVE.

WANTED—LADY OR GENTLEMAN IN OFFICE business that makes big money; this kind of business is opened for you; small investment and services. Address P. box 56, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED — AN INTELLIGENT PERSON MAY earn $100 monthly corresponding for newspapers; $40 to $50 monthly in spare time; experience unnecessary; no canvassing; subjects suggested. Send for particulars. NATIONAL PRESS BUREAU, Buffalo.

WANTED—MAN WITH $200 TO PURCHASE MY cigar stand on S. Broadway; clearing $100 monthly. Splendid stock of tobaccos. Call 607 S. HILL, Room 306.

WANTED—STEADY MAN TO TAKE HALF INterest in fine paying cash business that will pay you $75 per week. $1000 cash required. Call 828 W. THIRD ST., Room 216.

WANTED—ORDINARILY INTELLIGENT PERSON with $250. Make you more than good living and money back within 60 days. Inquire at 215 S. HUNT., room 12.

WANTED—SOBER, RELIABLE MAN IN MT AS-sembling shop. Good chance for right party. Small investment required. 3110 E. MAIN.

WANTED—IN WHOLESALE MANUFACTURING and big mail proposition; man with clean habits $60 to $100 weekly. Call 1206 Crocker Bldg. MANUFACTURER, 839 11th st.

WANTED—STRICTLY FIRST-CLASS MAN WITH good executive ability and $10,000 for splendid position. Address W. R. B., 2809 Byron Place.

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WANTED — STENOGRAPHER, MUST WRITE good hand, $65-$75.
Stenographer for bank, beach town. Must be experienced in drawing up deeds, mortgages and contracts. Compute interest. Good salary.
Experienced file clerk for large alphabetical file, $10.
Experienced file clerk, preferably with bank experience, $15.
Book-keeper and stenographer; able to meet public, $30-$35.
Assistant book-keeper, experienced in groceries or bakery supplies, $10.
Saleslady for music house. Young and use typewriter, $10.
Book-keeper and stenographer for suburban town; good concern, $60-$70.
Several $6, $10 stenographic positions open. Apply in person only. No information given over telephone.
File your application with us, we have calls for you.
THE PACIFIC AUDIT & SYSTEM CO., INC., Agency, Suite 418 Pay Bldg., 3rd and Hill sts.

WANTED—
HAWLEY EMPLOYMENT COMPANY,
Elizabeth Keliher, Manager,
254 South Broadway.

Upstairs maid, Pasadena, $40; French ladies' maid, $40; second maids, $40; $45; cook, $60; cook, Pasadena, $60; family cook, Pasadena, prefer German, $50; waitress, Arizona, $7 week; waitress, $25.50; waitress, resort, commercial hotels, north, $25; waitress, small resort hotel, north, $30; $35; waitress, city and country, $25, $30, and $35 etc.; girl for mixed work, institution, $20 etc.; girl for mixed work, institution, Pasadena, $25; chore, board and laundry; laundress, institution, country, $40 etc.; cooking and downstairs, $45; other, $40; general girl, $25, $30 etc.

WANTED—COOK, 7 PEOPLE, SMALL SANItarium, $35, found; cook, general housework, $40; cook, German, $40; cook, $40; cook, $35; cook, general housework, 2 adults, 2 children, $45; sent out, $35 to $45; many housework places at $20 to $30; also mother's helper and nurse. Waitresses, please register, many good places coming in daily. No fees, either directly or indirectly.
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Room 308, 207 S. Broadway.

WANTED—BUTLER, $60; FARMER, COOK, $60; cook and dishwashing, $40; parlor maid and waitress, first-class, $30-$40; 2 cooking and dishwashing, $30; cook, $30; 2 in family, $30; Bakersfield, $40; another, city, $40; competent colored house girl, $40; mother and daughter, cook and housework, $40; cook, $40; $45; practical nurse, $12 per week; many places from $15 to $40.
BUREAU OF SERVICE,
62140. 205 S. Broadway. Main 2798.

WANTED — STENOGRAPHER WITH WHOLEsale grocery experience, $60, 6 days, 8 hours, perfumes, $14 week; book-keeper, with grocery or bakery experience, $100; canvassers, toilet articles, specialties; agents for lightning fruit peeler, $1.40 day. No fees, either directly or indirectly.
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WANTED — LADIES, LEARN HAIRDRESSING, manicuring, facial massage. MACDONALD HAIRDRESSING COLLEGE, 204 Mercantile Place. (Inc. Instruction Course.)

WANTED—EXPERIENCED BOOK-KEEPER, NOT over 30; must have good references; salary, $12 per week to start. DIAMOND LUMBER, 241 East Fifth st.

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WANTED—AN EXPERIENCED GIRL FOR GENeral housework. $25 per month. Wages $30, with laundry. $40. PHONE 52304.

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WANTED—YOUNG GIRL OR MIDDLE AGED woman to assist with housework. 1347 ARAPAHOE ST.

WANTED—GIRL FOR GENERAL HOUSEWORK, family of two adults and two children; references required. Call HOLLYWOOD 610.

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WANTED—STRONG, ATHLETIC YOUNG LADY to assist in treatment rooms; small wage to start. Call 619 EXCHANGE BLDG.

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WANTED—HOW TO GET INTO MOVING PICtures. If you are interested, apply to MAJESTIC THEATER, Belle 717.

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WANTED—YOUNG MEN TO PREPARE FOR GOVernment positions. See Mr. HOFF, 629 Security Bldg.

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WANTED — YOUNG MEN; STUDY ASSAYING, cyaniding and flotation and earn $150 month. Big opportunities await you. 208 BILZ ST.

WANTED — INSTRUCTION COURSE; LADIES learn hairdressing, manicuring, hair manufacturing. MAC DONALD'S, 204 Mercantile Place. (Inc. Instruction Course.)

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WANTED—LEARN TO RUN L. C. A. AUTO SCHOOL GET posted right. 731 H. HOOE BUILDING.

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WANTED—EXPERIENCED FARM LAND SALESman to sell heavy acreage of irrigated land; must have unlimited circle of high-class references as to ability, integrity, address, salary and commission to right party. Address L, box 81, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—TWO OR THREE LIVE SOLICITORS. Must have motorcycle, work among manufacturers and machine shops; liberal commission; state age; must go out of town. Call 1206 CROCKER BLDG. Ask for Mr. Tucker.

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R. C. MITCHELL COMPANY,
6th floor, Trust and Savings Building.

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WANTED — SALESMEN TO SELL AUTOMOBILE accessories. Phones: MAIN 6156, A9158.

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Situations, Male.

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WANTED—POSITION BY UPRIGHT, OLD GENtleman, as companion to cripple or invalid, or to operate and care for car; can go out of town nights. Address JAMES, BOX 2, 925 Citizens' Nat. Bank Bldg., Los Angeles, Cal.

WANTED—BY EXPERT BANKER WANTS POSITION as cook, general work for $40 or up. City or country, has good reference. Address WANTS, H, box 536, TIMES SPRING ST. BRANCH.

WANTED—POSITION BY STENOGRAPHER, AS-sistant bookkeeper; 3 years' experience, good references. Will start at moderate salary to prove worth. Address A, box 500, TIMES SPRING ST. BRANCH.

WANTED — SITUATION, CIVIL SERVICE CLERK, on Panama Canal, receiving $175 monthly, wishes to transfer to family of 2; lady stenographer. Address BOX 716, Cristobal, C. Z.

WANTED—MALE NURSE, THOROUGHLY FAmiliar with mania, Dreadful treatments and exercises, wishes position to care for invalid gentleman. Best of references. Address P. CIRCLE, box 1, 82 TIMES OFFICE.

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WANTED—GOOD HOME FOR 13-YEAR-OLD BOY. Age for city of Main Street, attend school, CANUTE, 27 Temple Block. HUNTINGTON 2900. Outdoor division.

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WANTED—YOUNG, CLEAN, AMERICAN CHAUFfeur, must have work, first-class mechanic and thoroughly reliable driver. Has the best of references. Address H, box 518, TIMES SPRING ST. BRANCH.

WANTED—POSITION BY JAPANESE, CHAUffeur in family; many years experience. Call 727½ GEORGIA ALLEY.

WANTED — YOUNG CHINESE CHAUFFEUR desires position in private family; careful, good experience driver. 719½ FERGUSON ALLEY.

WANTED—POSITION AS CHAUFFEUR BY JAPanese. FRANK NISHI. Many years experience. San Fernando and Los Angeles. Good references. BOOTH. Phone A9105.

WANTED — SALESMAN HAVING BUNABOUT wants position with reliable firm. Auto lines preferred; can start at once. Address H, box 548, TIMES SPRING ST. BRANCH.

WANTED—BY RELIABLE, SOBER YOUNG MAN, a position where references may be given; will drive and repair any car. Address H, box 513, TIMES SPRING ST. BRANCH.

WANTED—BY STUDENT, RUSSIAN, CLASSICAL education, wants to work in intelligent family for room and board. Address L, box 85, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—FIRST-CLASS CHINESE COOK WISHES position, hotel, boarding-house, cafe, family; all kind cook. Call L. Y., 820 MARCHESAULT ST.

WANTED — CHAUFFEUR, SWEDISH, SINGLE, age 23, expert mechanic, familiar with highgrade American cars. Local reference. Address J. box 66, TIMES OFFICE.

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Classified Liners.

TO LET—Apartments, Furnished.

TO LET—CLOSE-IN WESTLAKE DISTRICT, IN strictly private house, 2 large sunny beds, front and back entrance, furnished completely, gas, electricity, telephone, water, use of parlor, piano; very reasonable home; couple preferred. 1016 W. 7TH ST. Phone 10718.

TO LET — TWO FURNISHED HOUSEKEEPING rooms; with bath; private entrance, convenient to car; $18 per month. 1147 W. 23RD ST.

TO LET — FINE FURNISHED ROOM WITH CONvenience for light housekeeping if desired; also single room; prices reasonable; walking distance. 1231 W. SEVENTH.

TO LET — SUNNY HOUSEKEEPING ROOMS FOR two women; price reasonable; walking distance. 1231 S. FLOWER.

TO LET — FURNISHED ROOMS, HOUSEKEEPING if desired; $4 week; walking distance. 1231 SOUTH GRAND AVE.

TO LET — 1 FINE ROOMS, $15; GARAGE, LIGHT. 1044 W. 24TH ST.

TO LET — FURNISHED ROOM FOR RENT. 944 7TH ST.

TO LET—Unfurnished Flats.

TO LET—CONVENIENT, SUNNY FLATS OF 5 ROOMS—BUNGALOWS—FLATS. 1 TO 4 ROOMS—ANY SIZE—ANY PRICE. 2000 S. GRAND AVE. SELECT FROM MANY BRAND NEW. NEAREST AND BEST LIST IN CITY. THE COMBINED LISTINGS OF 100 AGENTS. WRIGHT & CALLENDER MAPS AND GUIDE BOOK.

TO LET—CENTRALIZED BUREAU OF FREE RENTAL INFORMATION. MAIN FLOOR, 724 SOUTH BROADWAY.

TO LET—SEE, WHITE HOUSE HOME UNITS; never occupied; something different; we can make 2 or 3 bedrooms if desired; we reserve right to refuse; floors, concealed lights, French doors, built-in buffet, Hartshill gas heaters, Vermont or Holstrope drive to 3RD AVE. PLACE 1 block southeast Pico car. Phone 10408.

TO LET — ONE BEAUTIFUL UPPER FLAT WITH all sleeping porch, northwest corner of Normandie and Wilshire; 6 rooms, bath, white tiled wainscots in kitchen, bath and shower, vacuum cleaner, gas, electric; $40. 1 block east of Normandie car. Phone OWNER, 10708.

TO LET — NEW HAMPSHIRE, BEAUTIFUL 6-room flat; hardwood floors, dining room with gas logs, sleeping porch, white tiled bath and shower, gas and electric lights, built-in buffet, Hartshill gas heaters, vacuum cleaner; $40. 1 block south of Wilshire car. Phone OWNER, 10708.

TO LET — NEW 5-ROOM FLAT, 1 BLOCK FROM Vermont car; $30. 1 block south of Wilshire. Phone OWNER, 10708.

TO LET — 5 ROOMS AND BATH, $25; 6 ROOMS, $30; 7 ROOMS, $35. 1117½ SOUTH OLIVE.

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TO LET — 4-ROOM FLAT, $20. 1117½ SOUTH OLIVE.

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TO LET — 7-ROOM FLAT, $35

Classified Liners.

EASTERN-NORTHERN PROPTY
For Sale, Exchange, Wanted.

FOR EXCHANGE—OREGON; CREEK VALLEY stock ranch for sale, 185 acres, good build-ings, free outrange for stock, fine fruit brook on place, bottom land planted, stock, tools, crop, all for $8500; $3000 loan can be assumed.

Potato land for sale: 22 acres, 16 under plow, good buildings, 14 miles from grade and high school; mill and station; price $3600; $2000 will handle.

SAM HUGH REALTY CO., Eugene, Or.

FOR EXCHANGE—DES MOINES RESIDENCE, modern, fine location; price $8000; want California property. I. R. ROBINSON, 802 Trust and Savings Bldg., Des Moines, Ia.

FOR EXCHANGE—WANTED INDIANAPOLIS; owner has clear 2-room near Los Angeles. Address Ill., box 421, TIMES SPRING ST. BRANCH.

FOR EXCHANGE—OFFICE, 4-ROOM MODERN bungalow, value $4000; also fine residence lot on Pico street, value $1500 and cash. Wants Portland, Berkeley or San Francisco property. MAIN 3892.

FOR EXCHANGE—OUR SPECIALTY.
Eastern, Middle West and California; a large assortment of all; owner waiting.
LANGDON & LANGDON,
705 Grant Bldg. A5625.

FOR EXCHANGE—2100-ACRE ALABAMA COTTON plantation, ideal for stock farm; climate, transportation, perfect. Building, $30,000. Address JOSEPH HUMPHREY, Jonesboro, Arkansas.

FOR EXCHANGE—MY ONLY BUSINESS IS TO sell or exchange real estate. Call for Call-fornia. 724 INVESTMENT BLDG. Main 5052.

GOVERNMENT LAND—

160 ACRES GOVERNMENT LAND—
20 miles from Los Angeles; rolling grass covered land; accessible to auto; water 20 feet from surface; $1250 cash; easy terms; will exchange for wheat lands, corn, potatoes, onions, almonds, alfalfa, pears and apricots; no irrigation required.
Total Cost $20.
THE INVESTMENT CLUB, 485 Marsh-Strong Bldg.

160 ACRES, 50 CLEARED, 45 FENCED; FLOWING well; 25 miles from Los Angeles; $40 per acre.
HOMBERGER REALTY GUIDE, 236 S. Broadway, Suite 620.

FOR SALE—ATTENTION, FARMERS. WATER means money in California. Let me show you government land near railroad station with water for alfalfa ranch. Call 701 CRAMER & COMMERCE BLDG.

ORANGE AND LEMON GROVES—
For Sale, Exchange, Wanted.

FOR SALE—OR EXCHANGE—5½-ACRE GROVE in McKinley avenue, Riverside; 10-room house, 10 share water stock, price $35000. Mortgage $18000 at 6. A. L. COLE, 413 Trust and Savings Bldg. F3444.

FOR SALE— HOME FOR EXCHANGE.
Choicest Orange, Lemon and Walnut groves in Orange County, California.
C. S. BERGER CO., Anaheim, Cal.

FOR SALE—OR EXCHANGE—10 ACRES LEMON grove at Fair View Pergola. See MR. LEVY, 629 West 6th St.

POULTRY RANCHES—
For Sale, Exchange, Wanted.

FOR SALE— THIS IS GOING SOME.
HALF ACRE, 4-ROOM, PLASTERED HOUSE, AT $1400. EASY TERMS.
Sandy loam; all you can eat from one tree, at 50th per month. Chicken corrals, outbuildings, number of fruit trees and berry bushes. Come 4-cent car line; 20 minutes from town. Information to parties who show you this property. Don't write or phone. Look for Nuys, with Shell. FIRTH, 346 S. Broadway. 60167, Main 3545.

FOR SALE—FIVE-ACRE CHICKEN RANCH cheap. Must be sold. Buildings and all im-provements. Water piped. See MR. HOLLOWAY, 512 E. 38th St.

FOR SALE—ONE-ACRE AND HOUSE, CHICKEN fence, laying hens, brooder house, incubator, all tended free to buyer. Fine location, close to factory in the famous San Fernando Valley. See MR. SLAYTON, 5518 E. 38th st.

FOR SALE—OR NOT TO SELL, PERRIS, CAL., suitable for poultry; only $500; ten years' time. Box 2256, UPLAND, CAL.

HOTELS, ROOMING HOUSES—
For Sale, Exchange, Lease, Wanted.

FOR SALE—
50 CENTS ON THE $1.

Furnings and furnishings of the greatest moneymaker in the city; 100-room brick apartment house; rents for $700 per month; clearing over $300 a month; owner is in hospital and will sacrifice; long lease; a little cash required.
MR. TOWNE,
E. M. ANDERSON, Rental Broker,
F3827. 728-729 Story Bldg. Sdwy. 1.

FOR EXCHANGE—
WANT APARTMENT OR HOTEL.
Have $5000 residence to exchange for furnishings of live hotel or apartment. Prefer close-in location; will consider ranch property.
Rooms, lots, acreage and ranches to exchange for furnished rooming houses in Middle States.
F. G. LEWIS,
225 Wright & Callender Bldg.

FOR SALE—$150 SPECIAL.
If sold today I will take $420 cash for all the furniture and rugs and walnut and mahogany piano of 24 room rooming house; rooms rent $60 month. 2 years' lease. Must sell at once. 1015 S. MAIN.

FOR SALE—NONE TO COMPARE.
Elegant corner, brick, 40 rooms, 17 private baths, furnished entire, well all rented, $4,000 per month, 3 years' lease; price $12000.
KEYSTONE CO., 607½ S. Hill.

FOR SALE—27-ROOM APARTMENT AND ROOM-ing-house, 5 minutes from 7th and Main; good furniture, lease, full price $2500; will clear $75 month; only $500 cash required. A4271.

WANTED—TO EXCHANGE A NEW 5-ROOM bungalow, Alhambra, value $2500; mort-gage $1500, for the furniture and lease of a rooming house. Address Owner, box 2, TIMES OFFICE, Pomona, Cal.

FOR SALE — 30 ROOMS, MOSTLY OFFICES, close-in location, exceptionally low rent, long lease; price $1150. Call 311 DELTA BLDG., 426 S. Spring.

TO LET—HOTEL BURBANK, FURNISHED, 28 rooms; clearing; $25 month. Apply HOTEL Bur-bank, Cal.

TO LET—UNFURNISHED 20 ODD ROOM, 2-story building, 2 baths, west side. PHONE owner, 10 to 12, 60242.

FOR SALE—NEW FURNITURE AND LEASE apartment house, clear $400 month. Sacrifice account sickness. 1027 S. MAIN.

FOR LEASE—37 OUTSIDE SUNNY ROOMS, NEW-ly furnished, southeast corner Washington and Grand; close in; reasonable rent.
HARDWARE STORE, 1902 San Pedro st.

FOR SALE—26 ROOMS, CORNER BRICK, RENT $160; income $420, close in, west side. RYAN & STANLEY, 410 Grant Bldg.

WANTED — AVOID VEXATIOUS DELAYS BY telephoning at once to Sdwy. 1. The Times Friday or early Saturday. MAIN 8200—10091.

APARTMENT HOUSES—
For Sale, Exchange, Lease, Wanted.

FOR SALE—FURNISHED OR NEW, MOST EX-clusive apartment-house in city; wonderful location and surroundings; sun parlor, balconies, sleeping porches; has many other attractive features; house entirely different from all others in appointments and furnishings; fur-nished throughout; rents $1,000 a month; lease for 4 years and several years; by year round, and owner's quarters if desired; terms, $10,000 down; will consider trade for good income property; no trades. Private investor by appointment with the owner. Address Owner, box 788, TIMES SPRING ST. BRANCH.

FOR SALE — UNUSUAL BARGAIN, 22 ROOMS, all apartments modern; nicely furnished; west side, walking distance; rents $90; lease and electric meter; all rented. Rent only $65. Price $1,500. Bargain. HOMER INVESTMENT CO., 309 Grand Ave.

WANTED — APARTMENT-HOUSE OR HOTEL, close in; will give cash for good income property, unimproved land, or smaller ocean front property; correspondence with small mortgage. Address PHILLIPS REALTY CO., 1038 Chamber of Com-merce Bldg., Pasadena.

FOR EXCHANGE—MY $2500 EQUITY IN A new six-flat building, rents $1,200 per year; value $18,000, balance $150 month. Five thousand cash and small four or five-room bungalow wanted. See MR. TIMES SPRING ST. BRANCH.

FOR SALE—WEST SIDE APARTMENT-HOUSE, 16 rooms, rent $75, all modern; must sell; cash, clear, terms. RYAN & STANLEY, 410 Grant Bldg.

FOR SALE—PART TRADE, 60 COMPLETELY furnished rooms, 2nd and West Side, close; private house; price $2750, $900 cash, balance easy terms. 6005254.

FOR SALE—5-ROOM MODERN APARTMENT-house; clears $40 month, always full, furniture, 3 years old; $1650 cash. RYAN & STANLEY, 410 Grant Bldg.

WANTED — APARTMENT-HOUSE, 30 APART-ments or more for good income property. Ad-dress L, box 161, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—TO BUY 6 APARTMENTS; HAVE $2000 to invest; must be a bargain. Address L, box 129, TIMES OFFICE.

FOR SALE—FURNITURE AND LEASE 41-ROOM brick apartment-house, steam heated. Bargain for quick purchaser. PHONE 10250.

FOR SALE—
Flat and Apartment Property.

FOR SALE—OR LONG LEASE, CLOSE-IN BUS-iness property, 60-foot front on Olive st. near Third; running through to Clay; paved by Pacific Electric; rents $175 per month; will sell or lease. No better place in city for private home. Owner terms to purchaser. Owner, R. W. POINDEXTER, 409 Wilcox Bldg.

FOR EXCHANGE—
Business Property.

FOR EXCHANGE—INCOME PROPERTY.
$70,000—Elegant brick apartment-house; paying better; corner lot; elegantly furnished; rents $8300 yearly. Submit to $50,-000.

$15,000—2-story brick, 7½ rooms, furnished, modern; clears income $2000 yearly. Sub-mit to $40,000.

$20,000—new white plastered flat; rent at-tractive; close to Westlake Park; leased $1800 yearly. Submit to $12,500. Owners of above desirable California Eastern property.
J. R. ALLAGIN, (Sole Agent)
310 Central Bldg.

FOR EXCHANGE—
Business Property.

FOR EXCHANGE—A GOOD CORNER ON WEST 11th st., near Figueroa, go and look at 11th st., see how it is building up. Price $19,000; $10,000 to $12,000 cash, for May, 1923. West Pasadena, or South Pasadena. PHELPS, 307 Grant Bldg. F7087.

FOR EXCHANGE—
Houses.

FOR EXCHANGE—FINE 5-ROOM HOUSE ON Ave. 52 near Arroyo Seco ave., on lot 40x120, value $3000; will trade unincumbered for house or lot, preferably in Hollywood; cash difference; for fine lot. MATTHEWS & MATTHEWS, 426 Washington bldg. Main 8293.

FOR EXCHANGE—ATTRACTIVE 5-ROOM BUN-galow, excellent condition. Must own $2250. Will trade unincumbered garage, mountain ranch, lots or larger house.
F. M. RUNKLE,
Pico near Hobart. West 529.

FOR EXCHANGE—65500, Glen 118, NEAR CENTER. Hollywood; incumbrance $2500; equity for clear acres, here or Long Beach, also $4500, 7-room house, southwest, for one Long Beach, or lots there. 317 MAIN BLDG. A2626.

FOR EXCHANGE—5-ROOM COTTAGE, FURNISH-ed or unfurnished, $2400 to $3000, clear; want citrus ranch; will trade right; will pay cash. Wanted Ford and some cash on young Valencia or lemon grove. Address G, box 473, TIMES SPRING ST. BRANCH.

FOR EXCHANGE — MY $8000 EQUITY IN 5-room house, Wilton near Pico; take clear city or country.
MYRON H. WELLS,
F5236. 1207 Metropolitan Bldg.

FOR EXCHANGE—5-ROOM MODERN PLASTERED house on half acre, chicken yard, rabbit pens, barn, berries, flowers, well, fine water for life, $1500; will trade right; will pay cash. Address Owner, box 2, TIMES SPRING ST. BRANCH.
What have you clear? MAIN 8024.

FOR EXCHANGE—FINE 10-ROOM RESIDENCE; West Pico; way below value; $2700; $1700 equity. High School, value $12,500, mortgages $4500. Want vacant in Pasadena for my equity. NICK-ERSON, 615 Story Bldg.

FOR EXCHANGE—
Lots.

FOR EXCHANGE—ONE OR THREE LOTS, 50x 147 each, overlooking Hollywood; fine for rental property; prefer semi-business. Address L, box 92, TIMES OFFICE.

FOR EXCHANGE—FOR WHAT HAVE YOU, (5) beautiful Wilshire lots, clear for sale, $1000 down price. Owner, Phone 508459; WILSHIRE 3862.

FOR EXCHANGE—
Suburban Property.

FOR EXCHANGE—2 1-4 ACRES IRRIGATED, famous Sespe Valley, 15 minutes from city, domestic water, fruit, berries or vegetables. Want small acreage or improved relinquishment; must have water; give particulars. Address H, box 545, TIMES SPRING ST. BRANCH.

FOR EXCHANGE—
Beach Property.

FOR EXCHANGE—BEAUTIFUL COUNTRY PLACE, on Ocean grand heights between Los Angeles and Santa Monica; 5 miles from grade; $7500. Want Hollywood or suburb residence. EDWARD C. CRIBB CO., Consolidated Realty Bldg.

FOR EXCHANGE—$1000 EQUITY IN NEW 5-room bungalow, Long Beach. Want clear property anywhere. BOX 225, UPLAND, CAL.

FOR EXCHANGE—
Country Property.

FOR EXCHANGE—

WE HAVE TWO HIGH-CLASS STOCK RANCHES IN NEW MEXICO. THE OWNERS WILL CON-SIDER PART EXCHANGE. THESE PROPER-TIES ARE PRICED AT $5.00 AN ACRE, AND RESPECTIVELY PLENTY OF WATER AND FEED. FOR FULL PARTICULARS

SEE HUGH R. E. BROWN,
BRYAN & BRADFORD,
60061. 724 VAN NUYS BLDG. MAIN 1751.

FOR EXCHANGE—
Ranches.

FOR EXCHANGE—115 acres Kern county—Modern 9-room resi-dence and outbuildings; 40 acres alfalfa, peach and apricot orchard; good water right; balance alfalfa, barley, etc.; for pumping plant. All level and good soil. Price $30,000, mortgage $10,000, 6 per cent, 3 years to run. Submit to equal value.
E. ROSS CONNER, with 210 Haas Bldg.
THOS. G. BUNDY & CO. 60645—Sdwy. 5268.

E. D. COWAN,
228 Van Nuys Bldg., Los Angeles, Cal. Main 8440.

FOR EXCHANGE—IMPROVED 5 MILES SOUTH-east Tulare; all level land, suitable for al-falfa, fenced and ready for the plow; want Los Angeles clear; will trade right; will pay cash.
L. COLE, 415 Trust and Savings Bldg. F2444.

FOR EXCHANGE—CLEAR, 312 ACRES ARIZONA stock ranch, deeded, 100 acres cultivated; want alfalfa and best land; will add other prop-erty and pay cash. J. C. NICOLE, 206 Grant Bldg., Los Angeles.

FOR EXCHANGE — 80 ACRES SAN JOAQUIN land for Los Angeles or vicinity. See PEARCE, 601 Consolidated Realty. F1153—Main 6007.

FOR EXCHANGE—160 ACRES WITH MODERN house, 14 miles from Ventura, with water rights; for residence or income property. Los Angeles preferred. Address Owner, box 2, TIMES SPRING ST. BRANCH.
923 BLACK BLDG. F2756—Hollywood 62.

FOR EXCHANGE — OR SALE—BARGAINS IN ranches. Write for lists. Alfalfa and fruit ranches. FRESNO LAND CO., 304 Washington Bldg., Phone Main 8127.

160 ACRE RANCH 9½ ACRES, 5 ACRES IN AL-falfa, 5 acres ready to plant; 20 shares of water, near Chino, Cal. Owner, BOX 634, PO-MONA.

FOR EXCHANGE—OR SALE—TEN ACRES BEAR-ing apricots and oranges. Hemet. Consider gro-cery or residence. See OWNER at 1005 Haas Bldg.

FOR EXCHANGE—
Real Estate, Miscellaneous.

FOR EXCHANGE—BUNGALOW ON EAST SIDE for unimproved; 4 rooms, bath, toilet, etc. Lot 50x 125, $2000, clear. Want new land with water to irrigate. Address L, box 2, TIMES OFFICE.

FOR EXCHANGE—Elegant 10 room on Irolo street, near 11th st., arranged for two families; lot 46x168, $7500, clear. Want ranch in Los Angeles County, vicinity Pomona, etc. Like San Luis Obispo Co. equal value; will not assume.
Dumas Building, Los Angeles, Alhambra. Lot 70x150, income $190 per month. $22,000. Want residence, Wilshire or Pasadena to $15,000, no trades.
2-story 8-room house on Halldale ave. Modern, with all conveniences. Lot 50x150, $6000, clear. Wants 4-room bungalow, close in. Price $5000. Equal value or less.
ETHAN STOKES CO., 616 Grant Bldg.

FOR EXCHANGE—WE HAVE SEVERAL PROPER-ties to exchange for close-in city property; will assume. Prefer 7th to Pico. Main to Figueroa. F. H. MOSHER, 1015 Trust & Savings Bldg. Main 1915.

FOR EXCHANGE—BETWEEN 8 AND 9 O'CLOCK Saturday evenings the Times' telephone switch-board is swamped with "Want ads." Avoid de-lay by telephoning at once to Sdwy. 1. The Times Friday or early Saturday. MAIN 8200—10091.

BUSINESS INVESTMENTS—

GOOD AND SERVICES OF A MAN WITH EX-ecutive ability for interest in a legitimate, going business; the opportunity is an extraor-dinary one; there is room for unlimited and unlimited possibilities and a field for our ac-tivities that is boundless. Money protected; personal interest and salary to be agreed upon; over $10,000 per year. Apply STUDEBAKER, 535 Wester Ave., Hollywood.

IF YOU HAVE $5000 TO INVEST IF WILL GIVE you half interest in a splendid business (not of city,) and full charge of office and finances; business clearing over $1000 per month; careful in-vestigation. C. H. EATON, 100 San Fernando Bldg. Fourth and Main. Phone 12 to 2, 10252.

WANTED—TO INVEST $1000 TO $2000 IN ES-tablished wholesale or manufacturing business with services; must be legitimate or do not write. Address H, box 544, TIMES SPRING ST. BRANCH.

HAVE CLIENT WITH MONEY FOR INVEST-ment; from $25,000 to $35,000. Prefers to take active co-operation and partnership in reputable mercan-tile or manufacturing business. Bonding capital for extensions. WALTER RANSOM, 615 Title Insurance Bldg.

WANTED—PARTY OR PARTIES TO FINANCE ME in planting prunes on my ranch. Have the climate, soil and water. Can show $400 in return for $100 invested. Address L, box 131, TIMES OFFICE.

THOUSANDS OF PEOPLE
endeavor to telephone ads to The Times, the same time Saturday evening. Do it Friday or early Saturday and avoid confusion. MAIN 8200; 10091.

WANTED—FINANCIAL BACKING IN PROFIT-able business. Address L, box 68, TIMES OF-FICE.

SPECIAL — $1500; ONLY $750 DOWN, BUYS half interest; highly profitable paying office business. Particulars 235 S. BROADWAY, room 201.

BUSINESS CHANCES—
Of Many Kinds Unclassified.

FOR SALE—WHOLESALE LIQUOR HOUSE; OLD established; clearing $5000 per month; owner retiring. Address W8, box 201, TIMES OFFICE.

FOR SALE—OR EXCHANGE—WITH ROOMING-house, confectionery, cigar stand, poks, stocks and bottle for lunches; low rent; busy street. Call 60301, MAHEY, between 9:30 and 5:30 p.m.

BUSINESS CHANCES—
Of Many Kinds Unclassified.

LOOK—ESPECIALLY PRICED FOR QUICK SALE.
$600—OIL STATION, main blvd., no competition, ground rent $6, daily sales $25.
$600—HALF interest, long and business, $12,000 laundry, Arizona town 5000, no competition.
$600—14-ROOM apartment-house, West Adams district, rent $40, clears $50 month.
$1100—Pacific Coast cigar stand, 4 tables, A-1 lo-cation, rent $30, clears $183 month.
$1100—Electric shop, nearby town, no competi-tion, invoices over $1200, has been $200 monthly.
$1500—TEA and coffee business, nearby city, sales averaged $1100 monthly last year.
$1500—POOLROOM, liquor stand, cigar counter, nearby town, rent $175 month, consider terms.
Many others, all times, for sale or exchange.
CLOUD & JACKSON, 527 Security Bldg.

FOR SALE—PLANING MILL, COMPLETE, COM-prising 8 electric motors, 10 machines, tools, office building and building that the planing mill is located in; pair mules, harness and wagon. This outfit cost more than $5000, and is for sale for immediate acceptance, $2500. Located in a growing community and will keep $5 to $6 men busy all the time. Call at 515 S. Olive st., room 4, and during Sun. . . .

GARAGE FOR SALE, $1000 BUYS ONE OF THE BUSIEST GARAGES IN THE HEART OF THE CITY. STORAGE SPACE FULL; EVERY NIGHT REPAIR DEPARTMENT WELL EQUIP-PED AND DOING NICE BUSINESS. GROSS RE-CEIPTS AMOUNT TO $900 PER MONTH. THIS IS A REAL BUY. GIVAN, 609 DELTA BLDG., 426 S. SPRING.

FOR SALE—REAL ESTATE OFFICE, GOOD BUSI-ness established, best location on Broadway, 3 blocks from new stores, 3 rooms rented, be-sides office furniture, good will and rooms are $50 for $2000; this is for a quick sale. Address H, box 541, TIMES SPRING ST. BRANCH.

FOR SALE—BUTTER AND EGG ROUTE. THIS is a splendid outside business; gasoline and ANTEED WEEKLY PROFITS OF $30 PER WEEK. THIS CAN BE BOUGHT FOR $675. SELLING ON ACCOUNT OF OTHER BUSINESS. GIVAN, 609 DELTA BLDG., 426 S. SPRING. MEET OWNER IN 609 DELTA BLDG., 426 S. SPRING, WHO WILL SHOW YOU TRUCK, ETC.

CREAMERY, FINE LOCATION, RENT $20 PER month; living-rooms in rear; fine fixtures; a snap for $2250; will invoice. Owner will be in place man and wife, or ladies. See this before you buy. See owner, L. C. HINTON, 223 Temple

WANTED—AN HONEST AND SOBER MAN with $5000 to act as cashier with a practi-tioner of highest reputation, who has made over half million dollars. Must be thoroughly finan-cial verse has last heavily; no experience necessary. Address S. O., box 1525, Los Angeles.

FOR SALE—A REAL OPPORTUNITY; SHOE AND men's furnishings store in a live southern Cal-ifornia town of 8000 inhabitants; about $12,000 stock and fixtures; consider real estate trade. Address BOX 624, ORANGE, CAL.

I MUST SELL MY GROCERY AND DELICATES-sen store; $1500 cash; rent $45; lease; $65 per month. Call 245 PER DAY. GOOD STEADY TRADE WITH CHEAP RENT. WILL SACRIFICE FOR $1000 CASH AND TAKE $500 DOWN. A REAL SNAP. SIMMONS. ADDRESS G, BOX 452, TIMES SPRING ST. BRANCH.

FOR SALE—
SHEPARD'S INN—THE WIDELY KNOWN AND
POPULAR RESORT, LOCATED IN THE CAR-
PINTERIA VALLEY. WRITE US FOR PARTICU-

LARS MILLER & McLEAN, CARPINTERIA, CAL.

TO THE MAN POSSESSED OF TACT, INITIATIVE, sound judgment, good habits, and who, as an ASS'T DIRECTOR, is willing to learn the business, is widely experienced and capable of selecting and training salesmen, an out-of-town concern will offer an exceptional opportunity to get in on the ground floor. Please give all particulars and references in first letter. Address H, box 317, TIMES OFFICE.

CREAMERY, ICE CREAM AND BUTTERMILK stores, Eastern downtown location; these in-vences will prove over $250 average monthly profit. Will sell for $1500 less than actual in-voice value. Will give 6 months' time. 6 months time to teach buyer all details of business. See MR. SMITH, 308 Delta Bldg., 426 S. Spring.

AN UNUSUAL OPPORTUNITY IS PRESENTED for the investment of $2000 in a patent, pro-tected manufacturing business of absolute merit, already established; a man experienced to handle finances and office work. Apparatus in actual operation; interview interested. Address H, box 460, TIMES SPRING ST. BRANCH.

FOR SALE—STRICTLY CASH GROCERY, LO-cated in apartment-house district; clearing $500 per month; rent can be had free; this is the best buy in Los Angeles; will accept part trade. Phone, Holly 1121 after 7 p.m., or ad-dress 5526 DE LONGPRE AVE.

FOR SALE—GROCERY AND DELICATESSEN IN APARTMENT-HOUSE DISTRICT; 5 ROOMS AND BOOMS IN CONNECTION. SALES RUN $40 PER DAY. GOOD 5-YEAR LEASE WITH CHEAP RENT. PRICE, $1,000. TERMS, $500 CASH. MUST CASH BE BOUGHT FOR. $500 DOWN. SEE GIVAN, 609 DELTA BLDG., 426 S. SPRING.

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WANTED—YOUNG ACTIVE MAN WITH $500 AS partner in established light business; can make up to $50 week; no experience required. 264 MERCANTILE PLACE, Room 33. Come in, 10 to 12 or 2 to 5.

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WOULD YOU PAY $11,500 FOR CLEAN RETAIL business? Fine location; clears $650 month. Your motive for selling will be investigated. Big proposition. MYRON WELLS, 530 Metropolitan Bldg. F5236.

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WANTED—CASH OFFER, WELL LOCATED GA-rage, COMPLETELY EQUIPPED; machinery for repairing; no REASONABLE OFFER re-fused. 311 DELTA BLDG., 426 S. Spring.

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Wrecking price on a nice little BAKER ELECTRIC runabout, with good batteries in it. Good looking and in good order.

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By me selling the following cars regardless of cost, all of which were taken in on new ones:
WILLYS-KNIGHT roadster, 1916 ..... $725
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1917 FORD ROADSTER, $420 CASH; WILL guarantee same like new car. 2207 SOUTH MAIN.

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FOR SALE—
ONE-TON TRUCK, $700.
The 4-ton-mile cost of 1 cents, against an average 4-ton-mile cost of 12 cents for average motor truck.
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THE CITY
AND ENVIRONS.

EVENTS BRIEFLY TOLD

At Sycamore Grove.

The Whiteside County (Ill.) Society will hold a picnic at Sycamore Grove Saturday.

To Transportation Men.

Gerrit Fort, passenger traffic manager of the Union Pacific system, will be the speaker at a meeting of the Transportation Association at noon tomorrow at Jahnke's Tavern.

All-day Meeting.

An all-day missionary meeting will be held in Peniel Hall tomorrow. Rev. George Allen from Bolivia will address the meeting at 11 a.m. and 2:30 p.m.

Purchasing Agents.

The Purchasing Agents' Association of Los Angeles will hold its regular monthly dinner at the Alexandria Hotel at 6 o'clock this evening. An interesting programme has been arranged.

On Modern Cliff Dwellers.

Dr. George LaMont Cole, archaeologist and traveler, will deliver the fifth in a series of lectures at the Y.M.C.A. tonight, the title being "The Modern Cliff People"—an account of the lecturer's visits to a number of prehistoric villages.

Proximo Club Meeting.

The regular weekly meeting of the Proximo Club will be held at the cafe of the Broadway department store tomorrow noon. Rabbi Isidore Myers will give "Mark Twain on the German Language," and Dwight F. McKinney will tell of the amusing side of his recent trip to the Orient.

Must Stand Trial.

Joseph Wert, charged with the murder of his wife, Carrie Wert, during a dispute in a vacant house at Tenth and Hill streets, was bound over to the Superior Court yesterday to face a charge of murder in the first degree, by Justice Summerfield. Wert's attorneys offered no defense. He is held without bail.

First-aid Work.

Classes in the standardized first-aid work of the American Red Cross Society began at the Y.M.C.A. last night under the direction of Dr. R. G. Whitlock. The enrollment is restricted to twenty men, who will receive instruction on emergencies of every type — sprains, fractures, wounds, bites, burns, chills and shocks.

Iowa Picnic Saturday.

The Iowa picnic will be held in Eastlake Park, Saturday. It will be an all-day affair. There will be ninety-nine county headquarters, county registers and a college reunion at 3 o'clock p.m. Judge Frank R. Willis, president of the association, will preside and among the speakers will be Dr. John A. Marquis, president of Coe College.

Of Pioneer Family.

Mrs. Nan Angelina Nieto, wife of Paul Nieto, of No. 3113 Baldwin street, died yesterday, and the funeral notice will be published later. Mrs. Nieto was the grand-daughter of Judge Bryden, the first American Judge of Los Angeles, and was also the grand-daughter of Mrs. Salade Dacon, a pioneer here. She leaves, besides the widower, four children Paul, Maria, Dorothy and Melba.

W.C.T.U. Worker Hurt.

When alighting from an automobile to take a street car, late Tuesday night, Mrs. Julia D. Phelps, a prominent W.C.T.U. worker, who resides at No. 3140 San Marino street, was struck by a passing automobile and sustained a fracture of the bones in her leg. At first it was feared there were other serious injuries that might prove fatal, but yesterday Mrs. Phelps was reported as being greatly relieved and the indications are that she will speedily recover from the accident.

On Law's Development.

The School of Law of Southwestern University announced yesterday that Prof. George H. Boke of the school of jurisprudence of the University of California has been engaged to deliver a course of lectures during this semester. The general subject of the course is "The Juristic Development on Law in America." The first lecture of the course will be delivered by Prof. Boke Tuesday, in the assembly hall of Southwestern University, in the Wilcox Building.

To Aid Prisoners.

A recital for the benefit of the Prisoners' Friend Society will be given by Miss Marion Warde in the Hollywood Methodist Church, South, this evening. She will be assisted by Mrs. Grace H. Hammond, soprano; Miss Hazel Jacobs, Mr. Austin, baritone; and Mrs. Nave, pianist. Short addresses on prison reform will be given by former Judge Harland J. Palmer, Justice Forbes, Dr. C. C. Seleeman, Dr. Murkett and Chaplain Nave.

This is Paper Day.

Today is the last day to donate your old papers to the Native Sons and Daughters of the Golden West to help replenish their fund for finding homes for homeless children. Today is "Paper Day," and the collection of old journals and magazines that has been coming in to the headquarters at No. 221 West Second street will be sold to the junk man. H. C. Lichtenberger, general chairman of the committee, issued a bulletin thanking the people of Los Angeles for their response in the matter, and asks that all who wish to make an eleventh-hour contribution bring the papers to the headquarters early today.

On Christian Science.

The Second, Third and Fifth Churches of Christ, Scientist, announce the following free lectures on Christian Science by members of the board of lectureship of the Mother Church, the First Church of Christ, Scientist, in Boston: Today at 8 p.m., in Second Church edifice, No. 948 West Adams street, by Paul Stark Seeley, C.S., of Portland, Or.; tomorrow and Saturday at 8 p.m., in Third Church edifice, No. 734 South Hope street, by Paul Stark Seeley, C.S., of Portland, Or.; Sunday at 2 p.m., and at 4 p.m., in Fifth Church edifice, No. 7107 Hollywood boulevard, by John Randall Dunn, C.S., of St. Louis.

Catholic Bazaar.

A mammoth bazaar was staged yesterday at the Catholic Orphans' Asylum in Boyle Heights, under the direction of local society women, in order to raise funds and donations with which to maintain the institution. The State recently withdrew its support, and now the asylum has to rely on the gifts of the philanthropic. The committee in charge consisted of Mrs. Don Murphy, Mrs. F. S. Nicks, Dr. and Miss Metcalf and Mrs. L. N. Brunswig. The bazaar took the form of a shower, with food and clothing donated. The first large gift was several hundred pounds of cream of barley, a new California product, donated by R. A. Monnington.

Decision.

MUST PAY FOR ADVERTISING.

Venice City and Road-race Men Lose in Court.

They Got Publicity and are Liable for Wages.

Men Who Prepared the Course Obtain Judgment.

The city of Venice and the nine members of the Venice Road Race Association, which conducted the Grand Prix automobile races in 1915, were held liable by Judge Shenk yesterday for the wages of twenty-four laborers engaged to prepare the course. The judgment against the city was for $1241.77, the entire amount, and against the nine members for $575.65. This means that if the members pay the $575.65, the city will pay the difference between that amount and $1241.77. But if the city pays the entire amount, the members won't have to pay anything.

The city contended it was not liable as it could not contract an obligation in excess of $300 without advertising for bids, and further that no contract for the employment of the laborers was authorized by the Board of Trustees.

Judge Shenk held that the city was liable as this was work done for advertising purposes and the $300 limitation did not apply to the special statute which authorizes a municipality to assess 15 cents on each $100 for advertising purposes. He also held that the city instructed the Street Superintendent to prepare the course and was stopped from claiming that the resolution directed to the superintendent to proceed was not sufficient. As to the nine members of the association, it was shown that they told the Street Superintendent to go ahead with the work.

The city did not deny the assignment of the laborers' claims to C. E. Zimmerman, who brought the suit. The members of the association did. Therefore all the laborers, married, as well as single, are entitled to judgment against the city, while only the single men have judgment against the members, the latter denying that the wives of the married men joined in the assignment.

The nine association members are Thomas W. Pryor, Thornton Kinney, F. A. Church, Byron Palmer, D. V. Staley, Charles W. Shaw, G. R. Fones, W. A. Rennie and C. B. Pettis.

PATRIOTS LEAGUE.

Completion of the Organization of Los Angeles Branch.

At a meeting of the committee on completion of organization of the Practical Patriots League (Naval Branch,) yesterday, the following officers and committees were elected: President, E. L. Doheny; vice-presidents, Paul Shoup, J. C. Drake, Morgan Adams; treasurer, John Taylor, secretary, Eugene Overton; Executive Committee, Paul Shoup, J. M. Dansiger, Morgan Adams; Committee on Membership, B. Dyas, chairman, Harry E. Andrews, Herman Henneberger; Committee of Finance, J. F. Sartori, John B. Miller, J. C. Drake, Thomas Ince, Stoddard Jess, H. G. Wylie, J. A. Graves; Committee on Publicity, Harry Chandler, Max Ihmsen, Dr. Norman Bridge, E. T. Earl, Guy Barham; Committee on Organization, J. M. Dansiger, Morgan Adams, Eugene Overton, John Taylor, E. L. Doheny, ex-officio member of all committees.

HE CAN STAY.

One of the most stubbornly contested cases in the history of local deportation affairs came to a conclusion yesterday, when the local immigration officials received word from the Commission of Labor, at Washington, to dismiss the warrant and cancel the case against Wong Back Sue. The culmination of this long-fought case is a decided victory for H. E. Wassell and Duke Stone, the attorneys for the Chinaman.

JOURNALIST TO SPEAK.

"This Business of Writing" is the title under which Prof. Ernest J. Hopkins, new head of the department of journalism at the University of Southern California, will deliver a lecture at the Cumnock School of Expression at 10 o'clock Saturday morning. Mr. Hopkins has been engaged for several years in newspaper and magazine work in San Francisco, where among other things he was the musical and dramatic editor of the San Francisco Bulletin. He is the author of several serials.

BUSINESS BREVITIES.
[Advertising.]

Weaver's Mission Red Roofing (made in Los Angeles) is now being applied to the spacious new Culver City Club and the beautiful new Angelus Mesa grade school. It also covers the splendid Hollywood Women's Club and many other substantial structures. Weaver's Mission Red Roofing is put up in convenient rolls and for sale by reputable dealers. Ask for Weaver roofing or call Weaver Roof Company, manufacturers roofings and papers, Nos. 239-241-243-245 East Second street. Broadway 784 or F2855.

In Desmond's display advertisement for new spring shirts which appeared in The Times Wednesday, spring Manhattans were quoted at $1.25 to $6.00. The former figures were incorrect, as there splendid, nobby and well-fitting shirts are reasonably priced from $1.75 to $6, and so stated in the advertiser's original copy.

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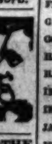

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Harry Chandler, Assistant General Manager of the Los Angeles Times, being duly sworn, declares upon his oath that the following is a true and correct office record of the daily circulation of said newspaper for the month of February, 1917.

FEBRUARY, 1917.

	Copies.
February 1	60,978
February 2	62,906
February 3	64,000
February 4 (Sunday)	112,290
February 5	64,710
February 6	65,136
February 7	65,130
February 8	65,810
February 9	65,904
February 10	66,127
February 11 (Sunday)	112,560
February 12	65,045
February 13	65,090
February 14	65,867
February 15	65,974
February 16	65,954
February 17	66,160
February 18 (Sunday)	113,220
February 19	65,992
February 20	65,992
February 21	65,992
February 22	66,218
February 23	66,229
February 25 (Sunday)	114,220
February 26	66,218
February 27	66,218
February 28	66,163

Average for every day of February 72,423
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HARRY CHANDLER.

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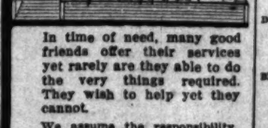

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THE WEATHER.
[Official Report.]

LOCAL OFFICE U. S. WEATHER BUREAU, Los Angeles, Feb. 28.—[Reported by Ford A. Carpenter, Meteorologist.] At 5 o'clock a.m. the barometer registered 30.16; at 5 p.m., 30.04. Thermometer for the corresponding hours showed 47 deg. and 61 deg.; Relative humidity, 5 a.m., 66 per cent.; 5 p.m., 44 per cent. Wind, 5 a.m., northeast; velocity 4 miles; 5 p.m., southwest, velocity 10 miles. Highest temperature, 65 deg.; lowest, 44 deg. Rainfall for season, 14.41 inches; last season, 18.99 inches. Barometer reduced to sea level.

WEATHER CONDITIONS.—The pressure is steadily rising throughout the United States and, aside from scattered snow flurries in Wyoming, Colorado and Nebraska, and showers in Tennessee, the weather is fair and the skies are generally clear. The temperature remains below zero in the northern tier of States. The westerly area of high pressure, in conjunction with the depression over the valley of the Colorado, is giving Southern California unusually low morning temperatures and normally high day temperatures with clear skies.

ORCHARD REPORTS.—Minimum temperatures as reported during the past twenty-four hours: Seattle, 39 deg.; Corona, 36 deg.; Riverside, 32 deg.; Mt. Wilson, 26 deg.; Pasadena, 34 deg.; Fresno, 30 deg.; Salinas, 28 deg.; Riverside, 32 deg.; Santa Barbara, 38 deg.; San Bernardino, 30 deg.; San Fernando, 42 deg.; Tustin, 33 deg.

LOCAL FORECAST.

For Los Angeles and vicinity: Fair Thursday; frost heavy in places Thursday morning; light northwest winds.

For Southern California: Fair Thursday; heavy frost in the morning.

STATE FORECAST.

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 28.—Weather forecast for San Francisco, Oakland and vicinity: Fair Thursday; light north to west wind.

Sacramento, Santa Clara and San Joaquin valleys and Southern California: Fair Thursday; frost heavy in places Thursday morning; light northerly winds.

ARIZONA FORECAST.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 28.—Forecast for Arizona: Thursday and Friday fair; not much change in temperature.

YUMA (Ariz.) Feb. 28.—[Exclusive Dispatch from the U. S. Reclamation Service.] Gauge height Colorado River, 18.1 feet; discharge, 12,500 second feet.

VITAL RECORD.

MARRIAGE LICENSES.

The following marriage licenses were issued yesterday. Name and age given.

ARCHER—PARRISH, David L. Archer, 20; Pansie Parrish, 20.
BLUM—LINARES, Emil Blum, 25; Estelle T. Linares, 21.
DODD—TORBIT, Azela J. Dodd, 67; Charlotte Torbit, 60.
FLETCHER—KING, Rowland Fletcher, 32; May King, 28.
GEHOOD—RADCLIFF, Charles F. Given, 19; Bertha Radcliff, 21.
HEIGHTSMAN—SMITH, John B. Heightsman, 49; Fanny C. Smith, 45.
IRELAND—SPENCER, Miss G. Ireland, 21; Melvin L. Spencer, 27.
KIPP—HEELEY, Harry R. Kipp, 22; Lila A. Heeley, 15.
KOLLNER—KOTLAR, Frank Kollner, 20; Ida Kotlar, 20.
LANG—PENSTON, Thayne H. Lang, 27; Martha A. Penston, 25.
LIGHTFOOT—MURRAY, Vernon N. Lightfoot, 25; Lucile Murray, 22.
McCUPLERSON—HOLT, Joseph P. McCutcheon, 40; Agnes Holt, 37.
OAKLAND—WARREN, Harry C. Oakland, 23; Clara B. Warren, 22.
RIGG—WAGGONER, Edward Rigg, 24; Athaliene Waggoner, 22.
RUSH—LOWTH, Richard G. Rush, 29; Bertha M. Lowth, 22.
SANDERS—WHITT, Roy E. Sanders, 21; Luella B. Whitt, 24.
WHITTAKER—BOYNTON, Lloyd H. Whittaker, 23; Minnie Boynton, 22.

BIRTHS.

Names, sex, place and date of birth.

ALLEN, Mr. and Mrs., Mich. Boy. 429 Moline street, February 25.
AUDRINO, Mr. and Mrs. John. Boy. 3223 Red Bluff street, February 22.
BALL, Mr. and Mrs. Charles E. Daughter. Good Samaritan Hospital, February 22.
BARNETT, Mr. and Mrs. William. Boy. Good Samaritan Hospital, February 25.
BORAX, Mr. and Mrs. Donald E. Boy. Maternity Cottage, February 22.
BREEDING, Mr. and Mrs. Albert M. Boy. 728 California street, February 22.
CAMPBELL, Mr. and Mrs. Colin. Daughter. 725 West Vernon avenue, February 23.
CHATTINGTON, Mr. and Mrs. Maynard J. Daughter. 1237 West Avenue 56, February 25.
DECKERBACH, Mr. and Mrs. James B. Daughter. 622 Bellevue street, February 21.
FINN, Mr. and Mrs. Joe M. Boy. 1734 West Forty-third street, February 22.
FRANK, Mr. and Mrs. Robert. Daughter. 839 West Forty-seventh street, February 18.
GILBERT, Mr. and Mrs. William H. Boy. Angelus Hospital, February 24.
GORDEN, Mr. and Mrs. Alexander. Boy. County Hospital, February 27.
HARTENSTEIN, Mr. and Mrs. George. Boy. 1715 East Forty-second street, February 26.
HAWK, Mr. and Mrs. Victor A. Boy. 1100 East Forty-seventh street, February 24.
IRVIN, Mr. and Mrs. James. Boy. County Hospital, February 27.
IRWIN, Mr. and Mrs. Louis R. Boy. 2200 West Jefferson, February 24.
JAMES, Mr. and Mrs. Stanford. Daughter. Good Samaritan Hospital, February 23.
JONES, Mr. and Mrs. Fred. Boy. 1301 West Forty-eighth place, February 21.
KAMLOFF, Mr. and Mrs. Mike. Daughter. Maternity Cottage, February 22.
KETTELBY, Mr. and Mrs. Sgt. Boy. County Hospital, February 26.
KOLB, Mr. and Mrs. Louis F. Boy. 1220 East Forty-second street, February 15.
LASSALE, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence. Daughter. 1919 Maple avenue, February 12.
LAW, Mr. and Mrs. William A. Daughter. 2928 Estrada street, February 24.
McDONALD, Mr. and Mrs. Frank. Daughter. 291 West Fifty-second place, February 24.
NOWELL, Mr. and Mrs. Edward A. Boy. 234 West Twenty-second street, February 25.
PALZ, Mr. and Mrs. Pierce. Boy. 823 Lyons street, February 18.
PARCH, Mr. and Mrs. Edward A. Daughter. Good Samaritan Hospital, February 24.
RANDOLPH, Mr. and Mrs. John. Boy. Sisters' Hospital, February 24.
RECORD, Mr. and Mrs. James G. Daughter. 1422 East Sixty-first street, February 22.
RODRIGUEZ, Mr. and Mrs. Jose. Daughter. 127 West Ballard street, February 19.
ROYA, Mr. and Mrs. Jose. Boy. County Hospital, February 27.
SEIK, Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Boy. 1305 Redondo street, February 25.
STINCER, Mr. and Mrs. John R. Daughter. 3030 Grand avenue, February 24.
STICE, Mr. and Mrs. William L. Boy. 827 West Forty-seventh street, February 22.
TAFOYA, Mr. and Mrs. Gardenio. Daughter. 4744 Coffee street, February 24.
VANDERPUTT, Mr. and Mrs. Revel. Daughter. 1410 Avenue 64, February 23.
WEINER, Mr. and Mrs. Meyer M. Daughter. 1227 East Twenty-fourth street, February 21.

DIVORCE SUITS FILED.

HULSETTE, Ethel Washington against Lyman W.
KILLION, Gertrude against Edward Samuel.
MARSH, Mattie A. against Eugene H.
POCH, Nellie against William Irwin.
POWER, Gardella against Harold Linden.
SHERMAN, Hannah against Jacob.
WIDENMANN, Robert F. against Adda.

DIVORCE DECREES GRANTED.

BERNIS, Florence from Clyde.
CAVETT, Edith P. from Thomas L.
ECKELSON, Edith B. from Howard.
EDWARDS, Nellie from John W.
McCAY, Grace from Richard.
MIRCHEFF, Rahel from Peter.
NEWBY, Daisy W. from Arthur N.
TAYLOR, Lula A. from Thomas.

OFFICIAL DEATH LIST.

Name and place of death—	Age.	Date.
ANDERSON, John. Los Angeles	80	Feb. 26
CANO, Ana. Los Angeles	45	Feb. 26
GATTONE, Julia. Los Angeles	41	Feb. 27
KULALA, Toney. Los Angeles	23	Feb. 25
LEON, Jose. Los Angeles	50	Feb. 25
LINDLEY, William. Los Angeles	64	Feb. 27
McGUIRE, Hazel. Los Angeles	14	Feb. 26
MILLER, Mary. Los Angeles	53	Feb. 26
NELSON, Henry F. Los Angeles	70	Feb. 27
NIETO, Angelina. Los Angeles	37	Feb. 26
PERKINS, Jeff. Los Angeles	67	Feb. 26
PRICE, Robert. Los Angeles	44	Feb. 26
WINKLER, Knoft. Los Angeles	23	Feb. 26

DEATHS.

With Funeral Announcements.

ADAMS. At No. 689 East Thirty-ninth street, February 27, John D. (Jack) Adams, aged 41 years. Funeral services at Bresee Brothers' chapel, 855 Figueroa, Friday at 2:30 p.m.

BALL, Isaac Sheridan Ball, aged 48 years, died of heart failure at his late home, February 27. Funeral at 1:30 p.m. today, March 1, from M. B. Church at Gardena. Interment, Inglewood Park Cemetery. J. D. Craig, funeral director.

DODENMANN, February 28, John U. Dodenmann, beloved husband of Ida M. Dodenmann and loving father of Clarence E. Dodenmann. Services will be held Saturday, March 3, at 2 p.m., in the chapel of Garnsey & Company, No. 1237 South Flower street.

BROWN. At No. 1304 West Adams street, Thomas H., beloved husband of Elizabeth Brown, a native of England, aged 59 years. Funeral at the Central Baptist Church, Pico and Alvarado streets, today at 2 p.m. Interment, Rosedale Cemetery. Robert Sharp & Son Co., directors.

DAVIS. At her late residence, No. 819 Golden avenue, Emma A. Davis, mother of Mrs. H. W. Underhill. Funeral notice later.

ENY. At No. 406 West Fifty-seventh street, February 27, 1917, Clarence D. Eny. Remains at the chapel of J. D. Fuels & Co.

FULLER. At Pasadena, February 27, William R. Fuller, aged 53 years. Funeral at chapel of Turner & Stevens Co. today at 11 a.m.

GATTONE. At No. 3441 Lemke street, Domenico, beloved husband of Mrs. Julia Gattone, native of Italy, aged 40 years. Funeral Thursday, March 1, at 2 p.m., from the chapel of Cunningham & O'Connor, No. 1161 South Grand avenue. Interment, Inglewood Park Cemetery.

GORE. At her home, No. 1024 West Fifty-ninth street, February 27, 1917, Mrs. Pearl Gore. Funeral services will be held in the chapel of J. D. Fuels & Co., corner Tenth and Figueroa streets, this (Thursday) afternoon at 3:30 o'clock. (No floral pieces please copy.)

DEATHS.
With Funeral Announcements.

HARDY. In this city, February 28, Mrs. [illegible] Hardy, aged 56 years. Funeral services today at 2 p.m. from the chapel of Messrs. Chamberlin & Co., 1127 South Hope, St. Friends invited. Interment Rosedale Cemetery.

HITCHCOCK. Entered into rest at South Pasadena on the morning of February 27, 1917, in her 76th year, Nancy Maria Hitchcock, beloved mother of H. Mary's School, Vista Hill.

Funeral services will be held on Friday, March 2, at 2 p.m. at St. James Church, corner Westmoreland and Fremont avenues, Pasadena. By her special request, friends are asked not to send flowers.

HUNGERFORD. In this city, February 27, Michael Hungerford, son of Mrs. Ellen Hungerford and brother of Jos. J., Glenn and Gladys Hungerford, a native of Ireland, aged 26 years. Funeral today from the chapel of Shea & Co., No. 1218 South Hope street. Interment, Inglewood Cemetery.

JOHNSON. At his late residence, No. 1044 Forty-second street, February 27, [illegible] Johnson, aged 66 years, a native of Sweden, beloved husband of Mrs. Christina Johnson, father of Mrs. Frank Fuller of Orange, N. J.; Mrs. W. Johnson of Los Angeles, Mrs. Fred Fuller of Pasadena, Mrs. Ray Call of Monrovia and Henry W. and Carl Johnson of this city. Funeral Friday, March 2, at 10 a.m., from the parlors of Bresee Brothers, 855 Figueroa. Interment at Rosedale Cemetery.

KENT, February 28, D. A. Kent. Remains at Bresee Brothers, 855 Figueroa.

KERSHAW, At his home, 1015 Arbor, February 28, Alfred R. Kershaw, aged 56 years. Funeral services from chapel of Scott-Comerford, Thursday, 2 p.m. Cards a Greetings.

LINDLEY. Funeral for the late William M. Lindley will be held from the chapel of Shea & Co. Friday, March 2, at 2:30 p.m.

LONGSTREET, February 28, 1917, Lucy G. Longstreet, beloved wife of Atlantic City, N. J., formerly of [illegible]. Funeral notice later.

MURRAY. At No. 6902 South Broadway, on February 25, William A. Murray, aged 67 years, a native of Ireland. Funeral notice later.

NIETO. Wednesday, February 28, at her residence, No. 3113 Baldwin street, Nan Angelina, beloved wife of Paul Nieto, M.D., and daughter of Mrs. Salade Dacon, was the grand-daughter of Judge Bryden, first American Judge of Los Angeles, and a native of Los Angeles. Remains at Bresee Brothers' chapel, 855 Figueroa, for interment. Funeral notice later.

NORDAHL. In this city, February 25, Nancy Nordahl, aged 80 years, a native of Norway, beloved mother of Mrs. Anna Nelson and loving sister of A. W. Nordahl. Remains at the residence of her daughter, Mrs. Nelson, 1127 Maple avenue, Undertaking Co., 1127 Maple avenue. Interment, Evergreen.

RADFORD. In this city, February 27, Mrs. Radford, aged 54 years, a native of Ireland, dearly beloved mother of Mrs. Hawkins of this city, and Harry Radford of Seattle, Wash. Remains can be viewed at the Monrovia Undertaking Co.'s parlors, No. 1216 Myrtle avenue, Monrovia. Funeral notice later.

SCHAUB. At his residence, No. 408 East Washington street, February 27, Anthony Schaub, aged 72 years, a native of Germany. Funeral Friday, March 2, at 9 a.m. Interment, private.

STOUT, February 28, Mrs. Jane B. Stout. Remains at rooms of Funeral Directors, Inc.

THOMAS. In this city, February 26, 1917, Mrs. Thomas, aged 78 years, a native of Wales. Funeral services will be held at the late residence, No. 1015 Lemon street, Los Angeles, Friday, March 2, at 2 p.m. Interment private. Undertaking Co., 1127 Maple avenue.

THOMAS. At his residence, No. 4354 Mozada avenue, Glassell Park, February 27, Michael Thomas, aged 58 years, a native of Ireland, beloved husband of Mrs. Margaret and father of Joe J., Glenn and Gladys Thomas, a native of Los Angeles. Funeral today from the chapel of Shea & Co., No. 1218 South Hope street. Interment, Inglewood Cemetery.

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DEATHS.

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FUNERAL NOTICE.

Members of Mizpah Lodge, No. 272, F. & A. M., are requested to assemble at the lodgeroom, Thursday, 1:45 p.m., for the purpose of attending the funeral of Bro. B. Goldman. Brethren of sister lodges fraternally invited. By order of the Master. S. F. TALLMAN, Master.

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XXXVITH YEAR THURSDAY, MARCH 1, 1917.—PART II: 10 PAGES. POPULATION [By the Federal Census (1910)—[illegible] / By the City Directory (1914)—[illegible]

Glittering Parade in Los Angeles Shops of Stunning Gowns, Coats, Hats and Accessories Before Their Future Wearers.

Tailored hat, Ville de Paris.

Street suit, Broadway Dept. Store.

FROM BROADWAY'S VAST VISTA OF VARIED VANITIES.

The striking creation of Hamburger's has a crushed raspberry waist of Georgette crepe with a catch or barrel skirt of black crepe de chine. It is worn by Bertha Mann, leading woman in "A Pair of Queens" at Morosco's. The evening gown of Bullock's is of yellow striped satin, shaded by an overdrape of net. The hat of silver straw and chiffon is also a Bullock offering. The bathing-suit model indicates a little more amplitude for the coming season. The Unique offering is a magnificent Paquin model from Paris. It is of white satin and silver brocade. The Broadway Department Store's showing is a suit of dull blue wool velours embroidered in braid. Leghorn hat with satin draped crown. Parasol of floral silk. The Blackstone gown is rich in design and distinctive in model. Jacoby's showing is an afternoon gown by Callot. A grape-vine effect shows the vines and fruit in natural coloring on the skirt, sleeves and bodice. The chic, tailored hat of lisere Milan straw and a single trimming of shimmery, metallic black Japanese egret is shown by the Ville de Paris.

Newest Modes.

LURE OF BEAUTY, THRILL OF NOVELTY AT FASHION SHOW'S OPENING TODAY.

Turkish Trousers, Fur-trimmed Gowns, Natty Bathing Suits, Hats with Brims a Foot Wide, Among the Revelations of Broadway's Sparkling Sartorial Display—Charming Feminine Fripperies.

BY OLIVE GRAY.

TURKISH trousers and skirts which are a single Turkish trouser leg! Gowns which have waists with a double meaning, and some which have no waists at all! Hats with brims a foot or more in width, tapering to a tiny point, and those which have foot-high crowns! Entire crowns and brims formed from the smallest of forget-me-nots and those lacquered! Afternoon gowns which transform themselves in a wink into full evening dress, and coats which are extremely tailored and, presto! become dressy silken opera wraps! These are some of the startling revelations that the Fashion Show will disclose.

And yet, either because we have come upon them gradually, or for the reason that we have become inured to novelties, not one of the startling innovations really startle us—possibly because they are without exception beautiful and beauty is its own justification.

Color, color, color and loveliest of weaves in silks and cottons meet the eye at every turn and the perennial exclamation "Never before, oh, never! were feminine fripperies so charming!" is said again to the accompaniment of our steps the length of Broadway and as we thread the mazes of adjacent streets. The Fashion Show has blossomed earlier, this season, but none the less entrancingly than heretofore.

Wonderful embroideries in braids and silk are a feature of the spring clothes, while the use of gold and silver in masses and as entire garments remains unabated. Fashion seems to have turned her face, and, in fact, her entire form, toward the Orient, for she has adopted the brilliant hues, the wonderful handwork and even the garment shapes of the fascinating lands of the Far East, and has either modified them to her satisfaction, or has yielded wholly to their charm.

A tour of Broadway, from south to north, reveals Dame Fashion's secrets, and proclaims her supreme sway. Los Angeles is for two days her honored guest, and the retail dry goods houses are her habitat.

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Hamburger's.

As realistic as Venice or Redondo is the scene presented in that expansive Broadway window at Hamburger's where the water-worn piles are actually encrusted with barnacles and the shells upon the sands seem to have just been deposited by a receding wave. Sky and sea form a happy background for the sports wear shown—the newest things in khaki kool, Yo San and popular jersey in the decided colorings which are the season's insistent mode. A stunning sports suit with a purple jersey coat has collar, cuffs and pockets of Yo San in white and purple in striped lozenge pattern. A blue satin coat consorts with a Yo San skirt in white and blue.

A Hindoo-Chinese window is pillared massively in mosaic effect, with interesting lattices, through which shine mysterious lights, while a magic fountain spouts a crystalline stream from a quaint gargoyle-like head into a coppery bowl. A wondrous gown in Chinese red and purple, attracts attention here, the bodice elaborately overwrought with braid embroidery.

One window is in black and white. A Greek gown with novel drapery has the incoming narrow skirt which seems rather like a single trouser leg than an actual skirt. White crepe de chine forms the classic drapery, girdled in a rope of bead balls in black and white.

The "Surprise Gown" is here! A modest afternoon gown of flamme and gold changeant in heavy charmeuse, with petticoat—or lower skirt—of gold embroidered lace crackele, the same golden lace forming the sleeves and collar, which by a few deft turns may be slipped backward and behold a lovely decollete evening dress, completed by a film of tulle drawn forth from a pocket at one side, and used as a scarf to wind about the throat!

An extreme novelty seen here is the Turkish trousered evening dress. Of coral satin charmeuse, with tracel lace used as trouser frillery and to form the decolletege and sleeves, a huge silken tasse! at either ankle, completes this very vampirish and fascinating frock.

A wonderful coat of Godeylsh cut is developed in platinum gray gros de Londre, the sweeping circular yoke, extending to the waist, embroidered in heavy silver thread.

The corner case on Broadway is centered by a handsome oriental gown with a setting of Japanese cherry branches. The case on Hill street contains an exquisite afternoon gown in turquoise, which is offset by almond blossoms. In a Hill-street window, everything is in green, principally yardage in silken materials so popular just now.

A window devoted to charming negligees in the pastel shades, has as proper accompaniment a number of McClain boudoir caps to correspond.

Yo San parasols, in the short, stubby style which is the latest, are shown in the season's new patterns and in colors to tone with or to match the fabric of the frocks shown.

A stunning Joseph hat in black lisere straw has the new bandeau and a novel drape of platinum gray crepe, with a plat of small gray roses both below and above the brim.

The store is decorated throughout in futurist effect, spheres and balls being used in various colors against the great, white pillars, asparagus plumosus adding a soft mist of green. A platform at the Broadway entrance is parked in yellow marigolds, while the central space contains a spring-like arrangement of fruit trees in bloom with myriads of singing birds flitting among the branches. As heretofore, there will be a promenade each evening during the Fashion Show, through the central aisle, extending from Broadway to Hill street.

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Bullock's.

Bullock's is doubly gay, celebrating both the Fashion Show and Bullock's inauguration. The former occasion is commemorated in the windows, the latter in the store. A charming effect has been attained by means of many floral parasols, suspended on high, the bamboo sticks and long, crooked handles entwined with a wealth of brilliant flowers and asparagus plumosus. Birds a-wing carry in their beaks strands of vines and flowers and scores of singing canaries make the air melodious. Over 25,000 blossoms are used in the first-floor decorations and one could not say how many scores of yards of asparagus fern.

The principal Broadway window presents a painting—The Queen of Fashion, seated upon a garden terrace, with cupids in attendance, bringing for her acceptance the garments and fabrics of the season. The painted scene merges into a foreground of real grass and flowers.

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Smart Riding and Golf Suits—Shoes in Many Styles, Including White Ones with Medium Low Heels—Distinctive Fashions and Fabrics that Attract Show that He Who Pays the Bills isn't Forgotten.

THE windows of shops that deal in men's apparel are unusually attractive at this spring's fashion show. Fabrics for suits are for the most part modest, but striking patterns are by no means lacking.

Men's smart riding suits and golf suits are being featured at Webb-Fisher's store at No. 229 South Spring street. Besides all kinds of fashionable sport toggery for men, this store also carries a new line of pinch-back suits, as well as a regular line of new, conservative styles in men's clothing.

BURNE'S SHOE STORE.

With a background of purple and blue velvet and big vases of peach blossoms, Burns's Shoe Store at No. 325 South Broadway has on display a number of new white shoes, showing the new medium low heel. They are the up-to-date sport shoe made to wear with sport street clothes. In this window pumps and high shoes in two-toned colors are also seen as are evening slippers in white, gold, silver and bronze. Their men's window is trimmed in gold and red with sprays of peach blossoms where the Banister shoe for men is shown.

MULLEN & BLUETT.

Mullen & Bluett's store at Sixth and Broadway is showing a stylish line of belted suits for men and some very striking hats. This store prides itself also on its silk sport coats for women. Most of them are knitted and come in tri-color combinations. Their windows which extend from Broadway half way around on Sixth street, are beautifully decorated with baskets of spring flowers in a setting of gold and white.

DESMOND'S.

At Desmond's store on Spring street, one window shows a display from the women's department, and it is very striking. There is a khaki kool suit in natural color trimmed with rose embroidery, a waist fashioned from the new orchid shades of Georgette crepe, a jersey sport suit with a smart white linen waist with lavender border down the front and on the collar and cuffs. There is also a smart coat of lavender Poiret twill trimmed in white grosgrain silk. It is belted and the belt closes with a pearl buckle. As an appropriate background for this display of feminine apparel is a setting of purple iris and ferns arranged against lavender silk panels. Each basket of iris is finished with a huge bow of yellow ribbon. Magenta flood lights throw a charming color on the garments.

SILVERWOOD'S.

Silverwood's windows show all the new fashions and new fabrics that are the rage for men. There is the pinch-back coat in a variety of styles, some with belts, some with three-quarter belts and some with belts reaching just a short distance. The coats are all body tracing, and the trousers are straight hanging and fairly narrow. A good many of them come in rough weaves and tweeds. This store is showing a stylish array of sport clothing for men, some made up of the same material used in women's sport clothes. Some of the suits are made of jersey in all the new combinations of colors. A feature of this store's display is a window of Persian pussy willow silk scarfs. They are richer in pattern and color tones than ever before.

BAKER'S SHOE STORE.

Rose sprays growing in huge pots against purple, white and black draperies make a charming setting for the stylish boot display of C. H. Baker, No. 629 South Broadway. This store is showing some stylish boots in cloth tops in grays and ivories and blacks and combinations of suede and buckskins in ivory and gray. White shoes are also a feature and so are the pumps and plain opera styles. Daylight globes in electric fixtures add much to the pleasing appearance of the display.

ROYAL SHOE STORE.

The Royal shoe store is making a specialty this season of high and low shoes, featuring the short stage vamps with three-inch heels in all colors for street wear.

ROSENTHAL'S.

At Rosenthal's, Inc., No. 737 South Broadway, white footwear of white and black combinations predominates and more pumps are being sold there now than in the past three years. The demand for sport shoes is greater than ever before, but the new sport shoe is not necessarily a tennis or outing shoe but a boot to match the new sport clothes for street wear. A stunning pump this store is showing is the Cleopatra—with a collar around the top of a different color from the vamp. These are all shown in a rich background with Turkish rugs and wicker furniture, while the men's window is decorated with Turkish rugs and mahogany furniture. For men they are displaying high and low shoes in cocoa brown and custom tan with imitation wing tips.

GUDE'S SHOE SHOP.

In a smart setting of mulberry drapes, white kid skins and huge baskets of scarlet flowers, Gude's shoe shop has on display one window of solid white high and low shoes. Particularly attractive is a shoe in raincloth. It is white and softer than canvas, with more body than cravenette.

THE BOOTERY.

Gold and rose drapes with huge baskets of roses and lilies of the valley make a fine background for showing off those stunning pumps which the Bootery is featuring this season. Pumps are decidedly correct, this store declares, because my lady's skirts are a trifle longer just now. These pumps, of course, must be finished with a cut steel buckle and come in dull and patent and dark brown, all white or white combinations. Particularly smart is the Ramona last, which comes in a combination of black and white and cinnamon and white and two toned grays in buckskin and white kid. There are also a large number of pumps and high shoes in all the new shades of castor, cinnamon and ivory. Cloth of gold and cloth of silver with rhinestone buckles still lead there in evening slippers.

SCOTT BROTHERS.

Scott Brothers, at No. 425 South Spring street, is displaying windows that are a riot of color and belie the theory that men are getting more modest in the matter of color. The windows are gaily draped and trimmed with peach blossoms and ferns, where repose the season's choicest pickings.

The pinch-back coat will continue in favor and will vie with English models, some double breated. The coats are to be longer and narrower at the hips. They will be gorgeous in color, greens, blues, browns and grays in solid colors and many mixtures. Many of the English models are adorned with a one-eighth silk lining that gives a striking effect as the wearer walks. The seams are silk piped and in all the new models show more style than for several seasons.

The fedora hat will be the rage, with lower crowns and wider brims, the colors having a wide range, from a golden brown and chamois color down through the staple blues, blacks, grays and greens.

Neckwear runs largely to floral designs, but of richer, warmer coloring than in former years, and perhaps, louder.

WALK-OVER BOOT SHOP.

The Cavalier boot, a smart new pattern, is a shoe that the Walk-Over boot shop is making a specialty of. It has a receding toe with a moderate heel height. Its military heel and mannish stitching give this boot a decidedly smart appearance. This shoe and the others on display are shown in a setting of peach blossoms massed about a background of mulberry brocade drapes. Still another boot which this store is featuring is that made of white linen in both high and low shoes. It is quite smart and effective and the price is more moderate. The tendency of all shoes at this store is toward white and light colors including the new cream chiffon shades, similar to mustard except that it is softer in tone. The shapes continue to be rather long and drawn-out, though there is a tendency toward shortened styles.

WETHERBY-KAYSER CO.

Lavender and white draperies were chosen by the Wetherby-Kayser Company to show off the display of stylish oxfords, pumps, sport shoes, white shoes and men's shoes. One window contains oxfords of gray kid with French Cuban heel and white kid oxfords with French heel. Another window display contains pumps in patent and dull calf and kid and tow-toned gray. One window that attracts attention of the passer-by is featuring high shoes in gray suede and tan with natural buck tops and white kid shoes in lace and button. The sport window of white bucks with tan or gray trimmings is also distinctive. The men's window shows an array of smart boots fit to please the most exacting masculine taste.

PARADOXES IN HAREM DRESS.

Frank Mannishness and Subtle Femininity Combined.

Far from suffragettish are the gowns which partake of the harem in their draperies a la Turkish trouser. Sometimes these novel "legged" skirts are draped Turkish all around, and again but one side is draped, the other falling in the straight line which is a feature of conservative attire. Thus do well-dressed women manage to obtain simplicity and complication, to have frank mannishness and subtle femininity, at one and the same time.

Smart Models Shown by Leading Shops.

Introduced for this spring's wear.

The California sport skirt, shown by Hale's, has spats to match, hat and parasol of same pattern. Colors are green, gray and white. The striking Callot evening gown shown by the Vogue, is of black charmeuse and chiffon carefully laid over a foundation of cloth of silver. Gold tracery over matrix blue gives color to the bodice. The skating costume is one of several new chic models shown by Dyas Co. The stunning evening model at the New Paris is cut from jonquil maline made with a hooped skirt over cloth of gold. The new barrel coat shown by the New York store is cement gray. It has a shirred cape collar of cement faille silk. The Bullos model shown by Palais des Modes is new and distinctive. The model who wore it wore a hat of purple caterpillar braid trimmed with purple wings. The Zouave gown is one of many exclusive models shown at McEvilly's.

Prospective.

MAY CHANGE LOCATION.

Harris & Frank will Probably Occupy New Building to be Erected at Once on Dillon Estate Property at Seventh and Hill Streets.

Another prominent Los Angeles business house will probably move from an old-time downtown location to the new West Seventh-street shopping district as the result of negotiations now being conducted between the West Seventh-street Development Company and the firm of Harris & Frank, dealers in men's and women's wearing apparel. Definite announcements are expected within the next few days.

The development company, which has been largely instrumental in the promotion of the recent business movement to the crosstown thoroughfare, has for some time had an option on a fifty-year ground lease covering the northwest corner of Seventh and Hill streets, owned by the Dillon Estate, and now improved with an antiquated frame building. This option, it is understood on good authority, is to be exercised at once, the action to be followed by the erection of a modern, fireproof mercantile building of several stories on the site.

Sketches for the structure are known to have been prepared by a local firm of architects. The improvement will be reared by the development company, to meet the requirements of the tenant, which, it is now practically assured, will be the big Spring street store.

DISMISSES CONTEST.

The Secretary of the Interior has dismissed the contest of Alexander Sebille, it became known here yesterday, against Samuel C. Milligan, involving 320 acres of valuable land in the vicinity of Calipatria. It was alleged by Sebille that the land was covered by the Salton Sea when Milligan filed on it. The Secretary of the Interior reverses the Commissioner of the General Land Office, and upholds the judgment of Register Roche and Receiver Mitchell, of the local Land Office. Milligan was represented by Leroy E. Keeley.

Fashion Show.

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principally tulips in all the shades of spring.

The drapery background of one window is silver metallic cloth over pink; another is in gold over green. Each window is made more lovely by focussed spotlights in colors to harmonize.

A novel feature is presented in the drapery forms, which are in the shape of roses upon long stems, the blossom emerging from underneath the draperies.

Among the garments most noticeable are: An afternoon gown in flame-colored crepe chiffon Georgette, embroidered in jet flowers and having broad bands of black satin upon underskirt and top draperies.

A midnight blue taffeta afternoon frock, brocaded in satin polka dots, has a wondrous drapery attached to a long waist bodice, the latter of crepe chiffon in balbriggan color, embroidered all over in blue and silver thread. The broad sailor collar formed from satin ribbon in the blue and balbriggan colors shaded together, is a striking feature.

Charming groups of frocks dansant in pastel shades attract much attention. One in rose-leaf pink taffeta has a skirt of net and tufts of taffeta around the skirt of white net-lace, and also trimming the sleeves and tunic of pink taffeta. Tiny wreaths of hand-made flowers embellished the underskirt.

Gowns, wraps and suits in shadow lawn green made beautiful one window section. Georgette crepe chiffon—a thinner fabric than heretofore put forth under the name of Georgette—forms the body of several of the frocks for afternoon and evening, and almost without exception the bodices and sometimes the skirts are enriched with embroidery of dull gold or silver thread, sometimes interwoven with chenille. Fine, white china beads trim others.

Among the interesting accesories displayed is a set consisting of hat and parasol, the high crown of the hat formed from net in the peacock shades, set with medallions made from forget-me-nots pressed flat and lacquered. The parasol is of the same diaphanous net and the handle set with forget-me-nots, and terminated in a huge ring for carrying over the arm. Another set consists of a hat and bag—the bag formed wholly of violets, which when turned upward, becomes a bouquet to wear upon the arm by means of a violet silk cord.

A charmingly youthful hat is made from batiste in the pastel shades.

The entire crown of a novel hat is made from forget-me-not in blue velvet ribbon.

The entire crown of another lovely model is of forget-me-nots in lacquer finish.

A most unusual afternoon gown is of periwinkle blue charmeuse with long waist of yellow crepe, embroidered all over in yellow and gold rope silk and heliotrope chenille thread.

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Broadway Department Store.

If vision alone were the informant one would say that far-away Cherry Blossom Land had been transferred via camel van direct to the Broadway Department Store's thirty-nine windows. Each window has its oriental exterior scene. Hand-painted screens of fine split bamboo, mirrors and overhanging, gay, red roofs simulate tiny houses, from which swing lanterns and vases filled with cherry blossoms and pussy willows. Oriental mattings and rugs cover the diminutive floors.

As the dominant note in the scale of fashions is the oriental, we have the gorgeous flowing coats, the frocks that are heavy with embroidery of gold and silver, and beads in colors bordering close to the bizarre, the "atmosphere" that is created by the Broadway's window setting is the right one. It is redolent of the riotous colors, the spiciness, even the frankincense and the myrrh of the Far East.

Noticeable garments are:

Martial et Armand model suit—Paprika red silk repp; coat has the long, flaring side sections; short back and front; deep, set-on border of ivory white shantung, embroidered in black, white and self-color rope silk; large, ripple collar, extending into front revers; full skirt shirred across back at waist line.

Long, loose coat of old gold silk

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BRIGHT HUES PREDOMINATE.

Far East Robbed to Secure Color for New Spring Garments

The Far East has been robbed to secure color and line in the creation of the garments for spring! Embroidery actually stolen from off antique mandarin coats vies with modern simulations of such work; the lines of the coolie vest, the panels of the sacred mandarin coat, the colors and designs as well as the actual fabrics of China, Japan and India, have found their way into the sartorial productions for Mme. la Mode.

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Smart Apparel for All Occasions.

For morning, afternoon and evening wear.

The street dress shown by Harris & Frank is entirely new and effective in arrangement. The Fifth Street Store's sport costume is oyster white and rose and has a pleated skirt. The black and white combination sport costume shown by Sweildom is of white, pussy willow taffeta. The riding costume, photographed at Cline & Cline's, is smart, serviceable and especially adapted to Southern California wear. The Coulter morning or motoring gown is a satin fairway or Shadow Lawn creation in gold with trimmings of black satin. The evening gown shown by the Nadia is in silver modeled after a Paquin. The bodice is of silver cloth trimmed with rhinestones and beads. The classic afternoon garden dress of "groat loundre" in white trimmed with bright needlework is shown by the Bon Ton. The evening gown shown by Robinson is of morveleaux and silver, embroidered net combination with the skirt in the new Turkish effect.

ored brocaded in silver and gold, a novel feature being the Wedgewood medallion framed in brilliants, which is suspended upon the front tunic drapery of tulle. Five skirts, each more filmy than the last, are used to form the "body" of this gown, which, even so, is straight and slender.

A turquoise and silver changeant has sunbursts in silver paillettes embroidered upon the tunic, and silver ribbons are used to form the rather narrow girdle.

Sumptuous in the extreme is a dinner dress of black and silver bullion brocade. Distinctive is the draping of this dress, one side featuring the Turkish (trouser) drapery, and the other falling in straight folds.

A dansant dress of gold tissue has a bodice paneled in gold bullion lace and is built upon coral crepe, which shimmers faintly through the golden tissue, forming an inexpressibly lovely tint. The Turkish drapery is used in this dress.

A quaint gown of white taffeta has a woven border of Paisley.

A stunning picture hat of flesh-colored Georgette has upon the brim a hand-made embroidery wreath of wheat in crepe.

A portrait hat of black lisere with an immense, sweeping brim is edged with superb paradise in snowy white and black.

A hat with black net shirred brim is dominated by a crown in white burnt goose. A purple Italian milan has a flower pose at the top front of the crown, in which purple hyacinths center half-blown moss roses.

A rich evening hat of black has the new "spider" mount of goura, and the brim is faced with complexion pink crepe.

There will be a daily promenade at Blackstone's at 10 a.m. and 2 p.m., when garments and millinery will be exhibited upon lovely living models.

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The Fifth Street Store.

One of the most striking windows of the Fifth Street Store is in apple green. A summer home scene forms the background—a scene which might be an excerpt from "Shadow Lawn"—so popular in song and in fashion talk just now. Double French windows, partially open, give upon a pergola entwined with vines and offset with trees.

Among the garments noted here are an evening gown in apple green charmeuse, enriched with silver lace and having a dainty tulle bodice and short sleeves. A frock dansant in apple green taffeta supple is brocaded in discs of gold and silver bullion thread. A charmingly rich, yet simple, coat is of satin in heavy weave of the delicate green tint.

The corner windows of the Fifth Street Store are done in gold and brown, with scenic panels. On the Fifth-street side the windows are utilized for the display of practical merchandise, such as misses' dresses, hosiery, shoes and blouses.

Among the pretty garments noticed are a one-piece dress in rose faille, with broad bands of white stitched in rose-colored thread in the new, heavy effect.

A maize-colored frock dansant is embellished with gold lace, touched with silver threads.

An orange-colored satin evening cape is shirred upon a shoulder yoke and has trimming of brown marabout.

A stunning little coat is of gold and cerise satin changeant.

A hat in apple green satin, with a brim of Leghorn, has a full wreath in orchids and pale pink roses. A smart semi-sports hat is of gold faille with a dull blue crown and underfaced brim in blue.

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Coulter's.

The windows at Coulter's show against a mirrored background and mahogany paneling, an Oriental garden effect, with baskets suspended and a shower of greenery and gay flowers, to offset the beautiful merchandise and garments.

An especially attractive section is that wherein are shown the rich trimmings, bead embroideries and laces for which this house is famed. A purple mat, veiled in golden yellow chiffon, centers the space against which the lovely imported creations, trimmings, embroidered and beaded by hand, are shown. Peacock effects, sea shell fancies, paillettes rivaling the sunrise in glory, dainty tints in rose, lilac and periwinkle, in floral designs in beads and laces are seen here, each a poem of creative handwork.

Among the garments seen are: A periwinkle blue gros de Londres suit in three-piece effect, the coat tucked to form a high waist line and having a full skirt shirred under the tucks.

An evening dress in peacock blue satin striped on gold tissue is out

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naments across back of sash belt; straight pleated skirt.

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Blackstone's.

Gray carpets the floor of Blackstone's windows, and gray and rose-colored draperies at the back serve to bring out the beauty of the garments there. Natural peach blossoms in tall vases add the timely touch of spring.

Garments which attract especial attention are:

A gown dansant of orchid col-

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...Nothing to make the high cost ...of shoes less painful has brought about some attractive changes in the styles. For instance, one house is showing a smart pump with a collar around the top, of a contrasting color to that of the vamp. This collar looks like the monk's collar of last season's frocks, except that it fits snugly. Then there are other reasons for the high price of pumps—for fashion has decreed in favor of the colonial pump, and, of course, it must be finished with a cut steel buckle. There are all sorts of little "jokers" tucked away in fashion's decree on shoes, which mean that when "my lady" buys boots she must subsist on a diet unless she be the wife of a millionaire.

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Fashion Show.

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repp; huge, hand-wrought ornaments of blue metal and dull gold.

"Lavin" model—Sauterne yellow silk faille; short jacket, peplum of which is embroidered in dull red, black, blue and gold; straight shirred skirt.

Faille sports suit—Shirred coat of phlox red, the loose panels in the front of which end in white faille pockets; white faille skirt.

Chinese blue wool jersey sports suit—Coat braided in self color; white cashmere collar; skirt has tucked side sections.

"Cheruit" model suit—Canterbury bell blue silk faille; three-quarters-length coat, finished at bottom with deep, embroidered band of beige faille; cuffs and collar of beige; a row of hand-wrought Mandarin or-

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TREND OF THE FINANCIAL NEWS.
CHIEF EVENTS OF YESTERDAY.

(At Home:) Restraints imposed upon Wall street speculation on account of the international crisis became increasingly effective with special stocks showing losses of from three to almost ten points. The heaviness of the bond list resulted from new minimums in the international group.

(Abroad:) A cablegram from London says bankers there are alarmed at the prospect of an American declaration of war against Germany, as capital which might be loaned the Entente Allies would be kept at home for defensive preparations.

IT'S A QUESTION.

"Not insanity, merely love," reads a headline in a newspaper. Very interesting and romantic; but even more interesting would be evidence which would prove beyond a doubt that love is not insanity.

NOT FUNNY.

The "elite" class of an Ohio college recently staged an egg fight, throwing dozens of eggs at one another, messing up the furniture and causing a lot of extra work. In such a time as this there is neither intelligence nor humor in such action.

"ALL RIGHT SO FAR."

With respect to the European situation, an optimistic commentator, who hopes for the best without any particular ground for hope, says, "We are like the Irishman who fell off the top of a twenty-story building. As he passed the sixth floor he called out to a friend, 'I'm all right so far.'"

CONCERNING PREPAREDNESS.

The wild beast of the jungle, when mad or hungry, does not respect a man, whether the man be armed or not. There are some men and some nations that are like tigers excepting that, having a little more intelligence, they do have respect for armed men and armed nations. But in case the "other fellow" is unarmed——!

HAVE TO BE SPANKED.

A man in San Francisco begs his wife to get a divorce from him on account of his drunkenness, saying that he loves her so well he will stop drinking in order to win her back again. Some men have to be spanked before they will be good and a few of them have sense enough to know it. Divorcing a man to reform him is rather a new idea, but it may be more effective than marrying him with that pretended intention.

NEEDED A SHOCK.

In Chicago a man was sent to the hospital to be operated upon for appendicitis. When he reached the hospital he suddenly remembered that it was Friday, the 23rd, but when they gave him bed No. 13 he dropped through the window, appendix and all, and fled. Maybe he didn't really need to be operated upon. Some people imagine they are sick when all they need is a shock to prove to themselves that they are alive and well.

TIN-FOIL FAD.

Fads can always be turned into cash by enterprising merchants. Indeed many fortunes have been accumulated by taking fads by the forelock. Since the need has been widely circulated for saving all waste material, the value of tin foil has been deftly boosted by purveyors of chewing gum, plug tobacco, cake-chocolate and other dainties that use tin foil as a wrapper. Result: A large increase in the sale of these articles by those who expect to recoup part of the cost by saving the wrappers. As soon as the children are taught to seek tin foil as pin money, the case of the housekeeper is hopeless—goods wrapped in tin foil just have to be bought. It was shrewd advertising.

SEARCHING SKIN DEEP.

Among the minor annoyances and indignities that German officials have offered to the United States was their search of departing American Consuls and their wives for contraband information. They compelled the ladies to unbraid their hair and searched them for slips of manuscript suspected to be enclosed in the braids. Then they stripped both the Consuls and their wives and applied an acid test to what they discourteously designated as their "hides" to ascertain if their breasts and backs and southern terminals were not covered with plans of German fortresses drawn thereon in sympathetic ink. The Times suggests that if the parties thus searched had memorized information and carried it in their brains, the German officials would have trepanned them and removed it.

A WELFARE OPPORTUNITY.

There is one practical and feasible method of reducing the high cost of living which might be easily put in practice, if the city would expend some of the money that is paid out for playground apparatus and school gardens in plowing up the vacant lots of the city.

There is enough vacant land within the city limits to raise potatoes for the entire population of Los Angeles. And that by using only the idle lots which otherwise grow up to weeds and become an annual nuisance. By plowing these, and allotting them to school children and families that will utilize the ground, crops would be assured, after the bountiful rainfall of the season, with a minimum of labor and care.

Our numerous welfare commissions, associations and clubs have a chance for some real welfaring here. Which one will undertake the job?

Let everybody brace up. On account of the war no more spinach seed can be exported from Holland!

GET TOGETHER AND GET READY!

The people of no American city have shown more patriotic zeal for military preparedness than the citizens of Los Angeles. The need of this government has met with a response from Los Angeles that has rung with enthusiasm and sturdy eagerness to serve. On every hand patriotic societies are springing up, pledged to the furtherance of our belated military activity.

George H. Maxwell, the irrigation expert, heads one movement. E. L. Doheny is president of another. The Navy League has a grand representation in this city. Several other movements that need not be named here are also in the field, eager to do something.

Out of their zeal, these societies and movements have created one complication; the danger is that these activities may not follow the same path—that they may scatter their strength.

Working in concert, these patriotic organizations might be able to do a great deal of good. Working along their scattered lines, they may still do much good, but they will always be in danger of crossing one another's paths.

It would appear to be the practical thing to first ascertain just what the government wants from its citizens in the way of practical help. The War College and the General Staff have very definite plans. In working along the lines of our own enthusiastic efforts, it is most important that we should do nothing to embarrass these plans in any remote way.

There surely is a way, however, for us to get behind these war plans and to do what we can toward forcing them through to completion in a way that seems best to the army officers who have made a special study of these matters.

The first step toward this end would seem to be the formation of a sort of central Los Angeles war board made up of representatives from the different movements. They could take stock of their various resources and see that a complete co-operation existed between the different bodies and patriotic movements.

It would then be possible to bring the entire patriotic movement into close communication with the War College and General Staff in order to help these army officers bring about the necessary legislation.

Let us find out how we can help the army; then get together in one big organized movement to do the work.

We must bestir ourselves—for the sky is full of portents. There is no longer any doubt of the desire of Germany to make war upon us—and the proposed alliance with Mexico and Japan is no dream. The thing long dreaded has come. We are virtually at war today. AND THE GREATEST DANGER IS FROM TREASON AND SEDITION WITHIN OUR OWN GATES!

HOLLWEG'S DIATRIBE.

For careful and continued misrepresentation of facts, unwarranted assumption and unalloyed impudence the address of Chancellor Von Bethmann-Hollweg, delivered on Tuesday to the German Reichstag, is almost without a parallel in legislative or diplomatic literature.

The principal complaint of Hollweg against the United States is that our Ambassador Gerard communicated to the Secretary of the German Foreign Office verbally the "brusque" determination of President Wilson to break off diplomatic relations with Germany, when there should have been a protocol and half a dozen exchanges of notes, occupying from six to twelve months before an ultimatum was announced, and its announcement by word of mouth instead of in writing filled Hollweg's sensitive soul with wrath and disgust.

The principal count of the German Chancellor's indictment against the United States is that "countless materials of war have been supplied by America to the Entente."

Very well; there is something in that contention; but the Chancellor overlooks the fact that the principle of international law which makes it lawful for the citizens of a nation to do what the nation itself may not lawfully do—supply arms and munitions to a belligerent—was at The Hague conference forced into the law of nations by Germany, which was guarding the interests of her great Krupp factories. Now that events have presented this dose of Germany's concoction to her own lips, Hollweg, instead of swallowing it like a man, makes up a wry face.

The German Chancellor speaks of the "incomparable bravery" of the German submarines. Will some German sympathizer who is familiar with the facts kindly inform The Times in what maritime conflict that "incomparable bravery" was displayed. Where and when did—

"The frighted waves rush wildly back
Before the broadsides' reeling rack."

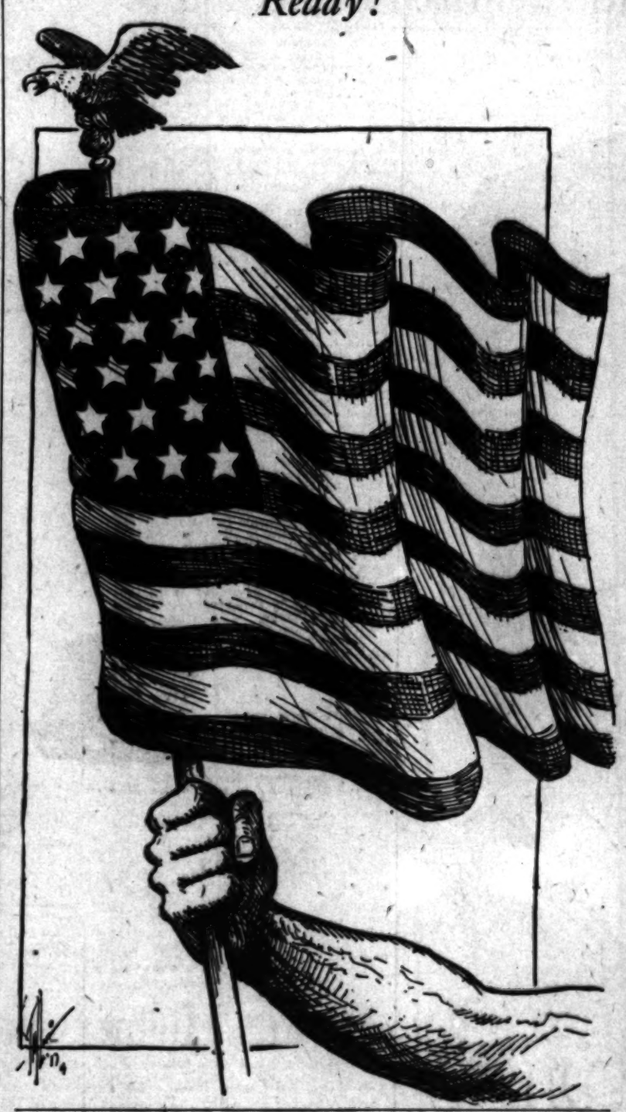
The "incomparable bravery" of the commander and crew of a submarine is like the bravery of the tiger that leaps from his jungle upon the deer, or the bravery of the shark that attacks from under the water his victim who is floating upon the surface. The submarine is not even as chivalrous as the snake that sounds his rattle before he strikes.

SEIZED THEIR PAJAMAS.

All the German consuls returning to their country are provided with a large supply of cotton underwear and plenty of rubber-heeled shoes.

Great Britain, at the request of the United States, safeguarded the return of Von Bernstorff and the consuls to Germany, but at Halifax, where they were examined, the British officers refused to allow the German officials an inordinate supply of cotton pajamas and rubber heels, which might be used in Germany for the manufacture of war supplies. The party, after being searched, were allowed to proceed, but a large portion of their underwear and footgear was impounded.

Great Britain is not overlooking any bets.



INTERNATIONALIZING THE MONROE DOCTRINE.

For years before the outbreak of the European war the tendency of the nations composing the Entente, as well as that of Germany, was toward excessive preparedness for war. Prussian militarism was not the only militarism in Europe. France, with an eye to the recovery of Alsace and Lorraine, every month called more and more of her young manhood to the colors. Russia increased her battalions with the intent of marching them into Constantinople, and Great Britain made quiet but extensive and effective preparations for the combat which her statesmen now claim was inevitable, but the inevitability of which she aided to bring about.

Whichever group of powers shall prevail in the present contest, it is certain that both victor and vanquished will emerge from it with crowded graveyards, shattered industries, debt-burdened to the verge of bankruptcy, weary of the roar of guns and the strains of martial music, and that the only preparedness advocated for generations will be preparedness for peace and industrial recuperation.

It is likely, then, that belligerents and neutrals, great powers and little powers, republics, empires and kingdoms, with the United States of America in the lead, will gladly join in a league of peace, in the formation of a Nation of Nations which shall limit armaments to membership of an international police force and provide for a Congress of Nations to enact a code of nations and a court of nations to interpret the code and adjust differences amicably, or at least without resort to force.

"The United States," says Prof. Hull of Swarthmore College, "must prepare itself for leadership along this line by internationalizing the Monroe doctrine. It cannot expect to take its rightful part in laying the foundation of permanent peace and genuine justice if it insists on exclusive responsibility for the Monroe doctrine and builds up armaments for the protection of that doctrine."

The Monroe doctrine has been developed of late years into a world doctrine. Japan has formulated one for Asia, and the European powers invoke one against any change of colonial boundaries on the continent of Africa or with respect to the islands of the sea. When the Nation of Nations shall be created, its elementary and governing principle will be "equality of nations in the world court and the world legislature, no change in territorial boundaries and non-interference with local government."

ABOLISH THE PIE COUNTER.

It is the opinion of many thoughtful men who are conversant with public affairs that the time has arrived when the public interests demand that the power of the pie counter should be restricted and that many Federal offices should be made elective.

"When the appointive power was vested in the President on the adoption of the Constitution," said Congressman Gray of Indiana, "the growth and extent which the Federal jurisdiction has assumed was not contemplated or dreamed of. The enlarging functions to be performed, the multiplying appointments to be made, and the overshadowing power of the Executive office was never in any manner apprehended. Such a concentration of power and centralization of authority as now exists in the Executive by reason of the Constitution was never in any manner considered by the framers of that instrument, and would have never been authorized if even faintly realized by our forefathers."

Many of the activities of the general government, administered by officials appointive by the President, as closely and intimately affect and concern the people as their own local governments, administered by officials elected by the direct vote of the people themselves. This ever-growing and extending Federal jurisdiction and the increasing activities of the general government in the everyday affairs of the people administered under Executive appointments make a readjustment and limitation of the appointive power of the President imperative to prevent the concentration and overshadowing power of that office a necessity fast becoming realized.

Said Congressman Gray: "When the appointment of all postmasters was vested in the President, the activities of the Postal Department, the close relations of the postmaster with the people and their everyday business affairs as realized today was not even faintly in the minds of the framers of the Constitution."

As the jurisdiction of the general government broadens, its power must be in the same ratio decentralized and brought closer to the people for their better and more effective direction and control. The people should have the power to elect many officials who direct the activity of the general government of concern to them in their local affairs.

PREDATORY JACK RABBITS.

The State Fish and Game Committee at Sacramento has reported a bill declaring jack rabbits to be "predatory" animals and prohibiting the use of dogs in tracking deer.

The schoolmaster as well as the friend of the hunter was evidently abroad when the State Fish and Game Committee was in session. "Predatory" is defined by Webster as "characterized by plundering; practicing rapine; pillaging; as, a predatory party." Johnson's plunderbund at Sacramento is a "predatory party;" the members of it are "pillagers," they "practice rapine" and their official action has been "characterized by plundering."

But what man or beast or bird was ever pillaged or plundered by a "predatory" jack rabbit? He may gnaw the bark of trees, but that, while it makes him a mischievous undesirable, does not make him a predator. A thief is predatory, but a ruffian is not. Did the long ears of a jack rabbit ever flop over a purloined dozen of eggs? Did his bob tail ever jerk in triumph as he smashed his way through a cellar window? Did he ever climb a cornstalk to steal the golden grain? Or dig up a turnip, a beet, or a potato from the earth? Did he ever climb a tree to steal an orange, a peach or an apple?

Do jack rabbits suck cows? Predatory jack rabbits forsooth! Verily the "lepus cuniculus" does not deserve the stigma which the State Fish and Game Committee has placed upon him.

And why prohibit the use of dogs in tracking deer? Is it proposed to track them with cats or with goats or with trained sheep? No man can track a deer. The human has not the nose of the dog that scents the grass where the deer has passed or the eye of the dog that discerns the impress of the deer's hoof upon the soil.

If the members of the State Fish and Game Commission deserve to make the public believe that they are earning their salaries, why do they not classify fish as well as jack rabbits as creatures that "practice rapine"? Why not go after the plundering mackerel, and the predatory sand dab, and the pillaging yellow tail, and the conscienceless clam?

The automobile of the 1917 pattern indicates how far we have progressed since the days of the first horseless carriages of twenty years ago. There must be something in the doctrine of the evolution of man, after all.

HITS AND MISSES BY OTHER PAPERS.

As Dry as ——.

[New York Sun:] Is a bone the dryest thing that the prohibition metaphorists can think of? Have they never read a speech against preparedness?

Done One Thing Well.

[Baltimore American:] Germany at war has set an example in the conservation and distribution of foods that nations like America might well study in order to prevent the storage of necessities to create artificial increases in prices.

The Pot and the Kettle.

[Baltimore Star:] In a rancorous article explaining why Mr. Hughes lost the Presidency, the Philadelphia Inquirer abused the West right royally, among other things charging that "life in the West has become one perpetual hunt for the dollar." In just what way does this differ from life in the East?

Conference Needed.

[Washington Post:] Certainly there is need for a national conference to define and segregate the proper sources of revenues for the States and the nation. Taxes on real estate are about the only source of revenue left exclusively to the States as a result of the recent tendencies of Congress. Incomes, inheritances, corporations, personal property and even business profits are now heavily taxed by the government.

War-made Prosperity.

[Boston Transcript:] That the prosperity of the last year was distinctively and chiefly war prosperity was made increasingly evident from each successive month's report of foreign commerce. The culminating and convincing demonstration of it, however, appears in the recapitulation of those reports for the calendar year. The second largest item on the list, larger than even that of breadstuffs, is that of explosives, including gunpowder, dynamite and cartridges. In spite of the talk about "permanent prosperity," which we heard last autumn, no intelligent citizen would pretend that its increase from only $6,272,197 in 1914 to $467,681,928 in 1916 was due to any other cause than the war.

Same Old Story.

[Albany Journal:] In a speech which President Abraham Lincoln delivered to campaign clubs that came to serenade him at the White House on November 10, 1864, he said:

"Human nature will not change. In any future great national trial, compared with the men of this, we will have as weak and as strong, as silly and as wise, as bad and as good.

We have such now. But, as always they are, the strong, the wise, the good are in the great majority. Their opposites constitute a minority so small as to be negligible.

The spirit that animated Lincoln and all other loyal Americans of his time still prevails, will ever continue to prevail in the United States.

Prepare for Destructiveness.

[Manufacturers' Record:] If we are to credit Germany with the same careful advance preparation in forcing a break of diplomatic relations as in all her other war moves, we may safely count upon her being ready with submarines to enter American ports and seek to destroy shipping and shipyards before we really appreciate that she is ready to hit. She will try to hit first, and hit hard.

Our people should, in advance, look for such a situation and thus not get into a fright and panic when the blow comes, as we fully believe it will come.

We should fully realize in advance the strength and strategy of Germany and know that when once war has started, if war comes, it will be long and desperate.

It would be foolish to minimize this situation.

The best way to meet it is to look for it and prepare as best we may for it.

Let's Pull Together.

[Anaconda Standard:] If this country must fight, let it get ready to fight with every resource, with its full strength, with all its men, all its money, all its inventiveness. Let this country not think it can win by playing at war. Let it realize at once the awful task that is before it. Let it realize what war means and that if victory is to come it will require the united strength of this nation, its complete energy, the total of its resources. Let this nation make up its mind to bear its burden, to do its full share. Let it rise to the occasion; let it be prepared to make its sacrifice, to stand its losses, to suffer as others have suffered and will suffer.

Decisive Battles of the World.

[Indianapolis News:] The fifteen decisive battles of the world, according to Prof. Edward Creasy, beginning with the battle of Marathon, B.C. 490, are as follows: Defeat of the Athenians at Syracuse, B.C. 413; battle of Arbela, B.C. 331; battle of the Metaurus, B.C. 207; victory of Arminius over the Roman legions under Varus, A.D. 9; battle of Chalons, A.D. 451; battle of Tours, A.D. 732; battle of Hastings, 1066 A.D.; Joan of Arc's victory over the English at Orleans, 1429 A.D.; defeat of the Spanish Armada, 1588 A.D.; battle of Blenheim, 1704 A.D.; battle of Pultowa, 1709 A.D.; battle of Saratoga and defeat of Burgoyne, 1777 A.D.; battle of Valmy, France, 1792 A.D.; battle of Waterloo, June 18, 1815 A.D.

WHERE THINGS COME FROM.

Scotch whisky comes from Pennsylvania.
Turkish rugs come from Virginia.
French china comes from Ohio.
Lyons silks come from New Jersey.
Persian rugs come from Massachusetts.
Vermont maple sugar comes from Missouri.
Russian caviar comes from Michigan.
English herrings come from Oregon.
Norwegian sardines come from Maine.
Irish linen comes from New York.

BILL, THE BURGLAR.

BY EUGENE BROWN.

"How is business?" asked I of my old friend Bill the Burglar, as I met him emerging from Hockstein's loan parlor.

"Bad," responded Bill, briefly.

"I guess it is a bad business at best," responded I. "But do you have any difficulty in keeping pace with the altitudinous price of existence?"

"I don't get you," exclaimed Bill. "Say that in English."

"What I mean is, can you keep up with the high cost of living?" returned I.

"Well," began the burglar, hesitatingly, "they have me and Jimmy working nights."

"By the way," said I, suspiciously, "aren't you the party who broke into Frank Vanderlip's ranch the other night and stole a peck of onions?"

"That wasn't me," protested the burglar, cautiously. "I can prove an alibi. I can show that when that job was pulled off I was cracking the tool chest of the Eagle Rock Bank."

"Is that what you call an alibi?" scoffed I.

"Well; there's an alley by the bank," explained the burglar, "and I had to make a run for it. I never do have any luck any more. One night last week I took Jimmy out for a walk. We came to a brick and stone building that looked as if it might be tapped. We worked at one of the back windows for an hour and finally got in. When I was inside I opened my flashlight and where do you suppose I was?"

"In the morgue?" ejaculated I.

"Worse than that," replied Bill. "I was in the City Jail!"

"That was mighty tough," said I, consolingly. "What did you get?"

"The doctor was afraid it was going to be pneumonia," answered the burglar, "but it turned out to be only a cold on my lungs."

"Well," said I, sympathetically, "you're not the first man to break into jail; but how did you get away?"

"That was dead easy," responded Bill. "I got rash and broke out."

"Did you, indeed?" exclaimed I, sarcastically. "I thought maybe you turned on the gas and lit out."

"You think you're blamed smart, don't you?" sneered the burglar.

"I know it," responded I, promptly.

"Well, you needn't take it out on me," answered Bill, meekly. "Things never do come my way," he continued. "The other day I opened up a nice little place in Hollywood and was just going through a dresser when I heard a noise behind me and the electric lights went up. I turned around and there was the man of the house covering me with a sixteen-inch gun. I tried to explain, but he wouldn't listen to reason. Finally I dared him to come out on the front porch and settle the matter, and he said we were going that way, aayhow, so we went. When we got there I picked up the doormat with the word 'Welcome' on it. 'Are you a gentleman, or doesn't that mean what it says?' I roared at him. 'Why, you poor fish!' he exclaims, 'are you blind?' With that, he picks up the milk pitcher on the outside window sill and, darn my socks! if he didn't turn out about $1200 in gold and paper money! 'Has that been there all the time?' I says. 'Sure thing,' says he, with a yawn. 'My wife is nervous and we put out the pitcher every night to save you fellows trouble.' 'Excuse me,' said I, 'but I expect to be this way again tomorrow.' 'No use,' says the guy, with a grin, 'the moving van will be here at 7 o'clock to take us away.' With that he pushes me off the porch and goes in the house with his pitcher. Can you beat it?"

"You certainly do have a bum run of luck," answered I, sympathetically. "Why don't you start a collection agency for war orphans?"

"I may have to yet," answered Bill, sadly. "If it isn't one thing it's another. Last Saturday night I was in Santa Barbara and before I came away I thought I would make expenses by tapping the cash register in a barber shop. I had an idea the Saturday-night rake-off might be worth the attention of a gentleman of limited finance. I worked about half an hour on the back door with my keys and finally got in and thought everything was lovely. But was it? It was not!"

"What happened?" asked I, interestedly.

"That blooming barber had gone to sleep in his chair, and the front door was still unlocked," replied the burglar. "The barber yawned sleepily when he saw me and climbed out of his chair with an apology. 'You're next!' he exclaimed, and blast my blooming buttons if I didn't have to pay that gink for a shave and a hair cut before I got away!"

"You say that was in a barber shop at Santa Barbara?" said I.

"Yep," responded the burglar. "What do you think fo it?"

"Barbarous!" exclaimed I, with emphasis.

"Worse than that," returned the burglar, "it was a close shave."

"Safety first!" exclaimed I, crossing my fingers and signalling to the gentleman with the white apron.

THE PARAGRAPHERS.

"I'll bet you do some cranky thing to make your wife begin the tirades you complain of."

"Nothing in the cranky way doing. She's a self-starter."—[Baltimore American.

Northern Visitor (in Georgia:) I see you raise hogs almost exclusively about here. Do you find they pay better than corn and potatoes?

Native (slowly:) Wal, no; but yer see, stranger, hogs don't need hoeing!—[Christian Register.

"Old man, you are too close in money matters. Your friends are beginning to classify you as a tightwad."

"What does it matter? I'd rather be classified as a tightwad than as a good thing."—[Kansas City Journal.

"Have you any qualifications for this government clerkship for which you are applying?"

"Yes. My wife can make a small salary go further than any woman you ever saw."—[Washington Star.

"Making a rabbit and mixing a cocktail——"

"Huh?"

"Some girls seem to think they comprise a course in good housekeeping."—[Kansas City Journal.

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The Republicans of New York City are in favor of a fusion ticket for Mayor, which is an excellent thing to advocate in a town where they have no chance to win in a straight fight. There is so much human nature in the game of politics.

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The post of judge of the United States District Court for the northern district of Ohio has been vacant ever since Judge Clarke was appointed to the United States Supreme Court bench for the reason that the Democratic office brokers cannot agree on the man. Meanwhile the public business suffers, and President Wilson is being scored by the Democratic press for allowing himself to be worked about.

The spectacle of a local war charged with insanity, when she insisted that it is only love she entertains for a man other than her husband, is one of the revelations of today's news. We always are sad when we hear of the downfall of a woman. They are the nearest to the angels that we know. They stand for all that is high and fine. So when one drags her pinions in the dust the tragedy seems to be one of the greatest in the world.

DOT LEEDLE SUBMARINE.

Oh! dot leedle submarine!
It vas a funny boat;
It can beneath der vatters schvim
Und on der surface float;
It peers across der vatters vide,
Mid leedle glassy eye,
Und mit der mighty "dread-not"
It goes to play "I spy."

I love dot leedle submarine!
It vas so schmall und cute.
Like duck it can der vatters skim
Like fish can through dem scoot
Und ven it finds der "dreadful-not"
Und holds its breath avile,
Der "dreadful-not" must sidevise
jump
Und make der vatter bile.

Oh! dot leedle submarine!
It vas a dandy boat—
It makes der "dreadful-not" look
Und gets der cruisers' goat.
Der merchant ships roost mit
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Mit dis chap on der track;
Und fly right up into der sky
Ven its torpedoes crack.

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Vould spend no more on "dread-
nots,"
Not vort a tinker's dam;
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So schmall und neat and true,
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"As the result of these efforts ... have today a membership of ..., and we hope to have a mem...rship of 1000 in a very short ...e. Then we will be able to take ... next step in this plan, which ... hope will be known the country ...r as the Los Angeles plan and ... reach from Maine to California, ... from Canada to Mexico. We ...ve called this organization the ...erican Society for National Serv... Los Angeles unit. We plan to ...e a unit established in every city ... the United States, beginning, nat...lly, with the Pacific Coast. ...re is great need for the work ... organization stands for, not ... in California, but in every ...hborhood in the United States. In ...tshell the plan is to enlist and ...anize a force that will work to ...guard the country against ma... ...'s devastating forces in time of ...ce and to protect us against ...e's devastations if war should oc...." [Applause.]

BY CAPT. OSBORNE.

Congressman-elect Henry Z. Osborne spoke strongly for the Maxwell plan, in part, as follows:

"We meet tonight at a most critical period in our national history. Whatever may be the reason, and even if in the providence of God a crisis shall pass without involving us in war, the fact still stares us in the face that we have been confronted with immediate war, and

In Case of War

VOLUNTEERS TO ... POWER LINES, ...

TO PROTECT the power lines, ... aqueduct and public utilities in ... general in event of trouble, the ...hunter Home Mounted Guard ... organized yesterday by Tom ... and Detective Louis A. Rice of ... police department.

The organization, according to ...ors. Rice and Mix, will have a ...mbership of not less than 100 ex... ...nced men, who own their own ...ses and general equipment of ...dles and rifles.

The men will volunteer for duty ... will ask for no fees for their ...vices except that the city pro... them with food and quarters ... themselves and fodder for their ... when on duty.

"I served in the Spanish-American War," said Mr. Mix, "and when I came back I found that everyone had a head start on me and I had to begin my career over again. I have extensive interests here, and I don't like to give them all up if I can ... efficient ... to a m... just as ... I may h... "We ... dangero... around ... but men... and sho... responsi... on the ... result fr... water s... of the p... such an ... and I ha... The ... automob... may soo... the city. ... disciplin... rurales o... ulary. ... able in ... lief of b... company ... able for ... after a ...

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ARTHUR P. WAY.

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"As the result of these efforts ...have today a membership of ..., and we hope to have a mem...ship of 1000 in a very short ...e. Then we will be able to take ...next step in this plan, which ...hope will be known the country ...e as the Los Angeles plan and ...each from Maine to California, ...from Canada to Mexico. We ...e called this organization the ...erican Society for National Serv..., Los Angeles unit. We plan to ...e a unit established in every city ...the United States, beginning, nat...ly, with the Pacific Coast. ...re is great need for the work ...e organization stands for, not ...e in California, but in every ...e in the United States. In ...ef all the plan is to enlist and ...ize a force that will work to ...ect the country against na...'s devastating forces in time of ...e and to protect us against ...devastations if war should oc...." [Applause.]

BY CAPT. OSBORNE.

Congressman-elect Henry Z. Os... ...e spoke strongly for the Max... ...plan, in part, as follows:

"We meet tonight at a most criti... ...period in our national history. ...ever may be the reason, and ...n if in the providence of God ...e crisis shall pass without involv... ...us in war, the fact still stares ...us in the face that we have been ...fronted with immediate war, and that we were and are unready and unprepared.

"It is as citizens of California that we are met tonight to take immediate steps in national service and national defense. We live on that coast of our country that is most exposed to sea attack and least protected. We particularly desire that some well-conceived system of Pacific Coast protection and defense shall be adopted, and we stand ready to do our full part in carrying out such a system.

"Mr. Maxwell will lay before you tonight a plan which is designed to form a basis for the defense of the Pacific Coast against war and foreign invasion, for high national service in times of peace, and for valuable vocational education and training in the useful callings of agriculture, forestation, irrigation, road construction and others which would fit the young soldiers for success in the struggles of either peace or war. It is a noble conception, and is accessory to and not in conflict with any of the military plans of the General Staff of the army or of those of Congress. It may with great advantage be attached to and combined with any military organization plan which may finally be agreed upon as the most efficient and best adapted to our country by the President and Congress. [Applause.]

"ALL SHOULD SERVE."

"For over fifty years as citizens we have had no military duties, or responsibilities in the United States, if we except the brief period of the Spanish War. There have been but few wars in the world during that period. So free have we been from its exercise that the first and greatest duty of a man to his country—that of military service—comes to us with a strange sound, and as a shock. But these duties should be honestly and fairly distributed, and not left to be performed by the most generous. For this reason I believe in universal training, whereby every young man shall do his part—even though it be but a few months—in maintaining the defensive force of his country. He will be a better citizen, a better patriot, a better man physically, mentally and spiritually, than he was before he thus served his country and performed his duty.

"Let each of us endeavor in this solemn time to do his or her duty. Let us have patience with each other and tolerance for those whose viewpoint is different from our own. Let us not too severely criticise even those who so far shrink from 'the dread arbitrament of war' that they would have peace at any price. Let us all think coolly and carefully before committing ourselves to bloody contest. But when committed, if such be the final determination and the will of God, let us all stand firmly shoulder to shoulder, men and women, native and foreign-born citizens of America, each one putting aside the soft luxuriance and the personal comfort of peace, grimly determined to do his or her best service to our common country, whether that service lead us to civil pursuits, to military camp, or to the field of battle. Our country is worth it all. Let us solemnly join together, President, Congress and people, in a mighty effort to transmit its blessings and glory to our children, our children's children, and to mankind." [Applause and cheers.]

J. Robinson Hall, an aviator who gained first-hand knowledge of war tactics by twenty-three months' service in the aeroplane corps of the Central Powers, impressed the audience with the immediate need for action by describing war in all its horrors and how an unprepared nation can be trampled down.

OVATION TO MAXWELL.

Then came Mr. Maxwell. As he was introduced, the audience broke forth in an ovation that lasted several minutes. In plain words Mr. Maxwell told his audience just what Southern California might expect if war came.

"We have reached a point in the history of our nation where we must either adopt new systems, or some day this country will cease to be the land of the free and the home of the brave. For this war will come to an end, as all wars have, and we must be prepared to face conditions that will exist then.

"We must have a system of protection, and we must have a system which in times of peace will do those things which are necessary to guard the country against nature's devastation, without any thought of war. This nation will never bear the brunt of supporting a standing force for defense that is for police duty alone.

"California is an isolated province. It is harder to get troops across the mountains than across the ocean. And a defense for California must be a complete defense, or it is no defense at all. It is useless to build a levee on three sides and not on the fourth.

"Understand, this society is not arguing against a navy. A navy has its place in the general scheme. Submarines play their part. Coast defenses guard all the land that is in range of their guns. It is possible to make the Pacific Coast as impregnable as Gibraltar, but you cannot depend upon anything but an adequate land force to guard the 1000 miles of the Pacific Coast. A week after the declaration of war by a foreign nation 250,000 armed men could be landed on our shores, and unless we have that land force we are powerless to do anything to stop them.

"Our plan is to enlist boys at the age of 17 years and, while training them so that they could go into the trenches to fight for their country, educate them in forestry and other lines so that at the end of their enlistment they could enter the ranks of civilians, better men and better citizens, educated and truer to their country than any college boy is to his alma mater. It is said that 17 is too young. Do you know that over 800,000 boys of 17 years and younger fought in the Civil War? They were the finest soldiers in the world. You don't want to wait until they are 27 with a wife and babies, or 37 with several half-grown children to support.

"In times of peace they would be used to fight against nature's devastation, in your forests and your flood controls. We don't want to fight a war. What we want is a system to prevent the decadence of the race. Unite the West to convert the East. And let this plan become concrete. Have Los Angeles, with this society as its unit, start the first of such organizations." [Applause and cheers.]

NOT AN OSTRICH.

Mr. Maxwell was followed by Dr. Scherer, who amplified his predecessor's remarks and drove home the points made.

"I live in Pasadena, but not on the ostrich farm," he said. "I do not bury my head in the sand because the present time demands that we pay attention to disagreeable truths. We must idealize with practicality. This is the greatest plan ever advanced for the use of the country. We must have an effective universal system.

"One of the greatest needs of this country is a new baptism of patriotism. And the boys so trained would not have to have any reserve strings tied to them. They would always be ready to fight for their country. In our college we have a statue of Nathan Hale, and I always take pride in pointing it out, and bringing attention to its inscription, 'I am only sorry I have but one life to give for my country.' That is the spirit we want to instill in our youths." [Applause.]

VERY TOUCHING.

Negro Woman Takes Eight Hundred Dollars from Fireman.

John Smedy of No. 229 East Fifth street was "touched" for $837 yesterday. He reported to the police that while walking home in the early hours he met three negro women at Eighth and Los Angeles street. He states they were desirous of making his acquaintance, but he was not so willing.

However, one dark lady embraced him and a short time afterward when he looked into his wallet, he found it contained only old newspaper advertisements, instead of $20 bills.

In Case of War.

VOLUNTEERS TO PROTECT POWER LINES, AQUEDUCT.

TO PROTECT the power lines, aqueduct and public utilities in general in event of trouble, the ...ner Home Mounted Guard ...s organized yesterday by Tom ... and Detective Louis A. Rico of ... police department.

The organization, according to ...n Rico and Mix, will have a ...ership of not less than 100 ex... ...d men, who own their own ... and general equipment of ...es and rifles.

The men will volunteer for duty ...y will ask for no fees for their ..., except that the city pro... them with food and quarters ...themselves and fodder for their ... when on duty.

"I served in the Spanish-Ameri... War," said Mr. Mix, "and when ...came back I found that everyone ...had a head start on me and I had ...to begin my career over again. I ...have extensive interests here, and I ...don't like to give them all up if I can stay here and aid in a more efficient way. Of course, if it comes to a matter of necessity I will go just as gladly as any man wherever I may be needed.

"We don't want these long-haired, dangerous-looking youths who tear around in moving pictures on horses, but men of experience, who can ride and shoot, and who have a sense of responsibility. In case of an attack on the city a serious setback would result from the shutting off of the water supply and the interruption of the power flow. It is to prevent such an interference that Mr. Rico and I have organized this company."

The two men plan to offer such automobiles and material as they may secure for the protection of the city. The organization will be disciplined on the order of the rurales of Mexico, a citizen constabulary. The men will also be available in quelling riots. It is the belief of Messrs. Mix and Rico that a company of 100 men will be available for service within two hours after a call is sent out.

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How we got them is pure good fortune—what with war conditions making their fashioning so difficult, to say nothing of their export! However, here they are, to be the enthusiastic joy of women who love these exquisite trimmings, and who have feared they might be deprived of the pleasure of owning them for adorning dainty and elegant gowns.

Descriptions Must Be Very Inadequate; See These Yourselves

There are the rich beaded bands, in comparatively narrow widths, all aglow with colored beads; many in iridescent effect.

Then there are the tiny rosebuds made of beads, in outline on a narrow band, on net.

Jet, silver, dull gold—all with colored beads—are wonderful in their diversity of color and design.

Beads and embroidery are cunningly combined into the quaintest of designs — leaves, foliage, motifs of all sorts, in subdued or daring colors.

Tinsel and bead combinations are formed into lovely designs, and in spring's most charming shades.

(Trimming Section; Broadway Annex)

There are the edges on net, in lovely soft colorings to harmonize with any shade with which you place them—every stitch painstakingly put in by hand.

Wood and leather ornaments, in simulated arts and crafts designs, are extremely novel for millinery trimmings, as are pendants of cretonne and beads.

Spring Millinery at Its Loveliest

One's first impression of spring millinery is that it is simple; and so it is, but a simplicity that is the height of cleverness, nevertheless, and producing effects that only the most skillful of designers could possibly achieve.

Paletot or Coat Dress, Important Adjunct

To Miladi's wardrobe this spring, is one of the smartest developments of midseason street costuming that has been devised for women.

Shown in Navy Serge

With military effect accentuated by the severity of straight lines such a garment may appropriately be used for a dress, a coat, or it will take the place of a suit. Other serges in apple green, and gabardines in navy or reseda. Wool jersey, too, has been utilized in making up the paletot.

New Spring Coats

For street and motoring wear, arrive all the while; **new suits** in wool jerseys and other equally stylish materials; **new separate skirts** in wool velours and khaki kools.

(Garments; Second Floor)

Exquisite Lingerie

Intimate garments of the most luxurious character — petticoats, combinations, camisoles, chemise and like lingerie—developed in the choicest qualities of crepe de chine and lingerie satin, or in taffeta and trousseau silk.

Such garments consort fitly with the outer raiment now on display throughout the store, and they are a genuine pleasure to observe and to own.

(Muslinwear; Second Floor)

Original Models

from Marguerite & Leonie; Hermance; Jeanne Duc; Mme. Vimont, and many wonderful copies from The Mode, Vogue, Rawak, Jane Marsh, Warshaw, Burgesser & Phipps and other well known makers, arrive daily.

Among latest newcomers are the smart high crown, narrow drooping brim affairs, perky as can be with their stiff, yet graceful ornaments of beads (for beads are the feature of millinery and dress adornments this season).

Then there are the flaring sailor models, tailored as can be; and hats fashioned from braids of finest texture, from Georgette crepes; from hemp and chrysanthemum braids, leghorns and panamas.

There are such spring-like colorings as white, coral, gold, purple, orchid, apple green, sand, rose, corn flower blue, cherry red, citron and shrimp pink and emerald.

Many are very moderately priced; see these illustrations of current styles now.

(Millinery; Main Floor)

A Bewildering Array of Spring Silks Await Your Inspection

It matters little whether your requirement is for one of the daring new sports silk weaves, or for the most conservative shade in plain silk that we carry—we KNOW that nowhere hereabouts will you find better qualities, or a more comprehensive assortment of the colors and designs that have found highest favor with discriminating women the world over.

40-inch **Figured Radiums**, soft and beautiful in appearance.

40-inch **Figured Cinderella Silks**—lavish designs and quality superb.

40-inch **Striped Chiffon Taffetas**—broad stripes and exquisite colorings.

36-inch **Plaid Taffetas**—light and dark effects, for waists, etc.

36-inch **Chiffon Taffetas**—hairline effects in the most exquisite colorings.

33-inch **Society Satins**—bold colors and broad stripes; extremely good for handsome linings.

(Silks; Broadway Annex)

Yo-San, the New Silk

Yo-San, the new Shantung silk, is made in an entirely new way—dyed in the thread before weaving; it has the exquisite bright silk appearance and touch which Shantungs have heretofore lacked. Yo-San is made in an endless variety of bold patterns and colorings—including the most unusual ribbon striped sports designs, showing a slight wave or ripple effect of compelling beauty; then there are modest designs for day wear. Combined with plain materials that harmonize in shade very striking effects may be produced.

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Life's Gentler Side—Society, Music, Song and the Dance—Los Angeles Theater

SOCIETY.

A Surprise Wedding.

Mrs. Marie Mahon, an attractive widow who has spent many winters in Los Angeles, was married at Riverside last night to Frank Willis Black, director of the San Gabriel Country Club, golfer, and member of the Jonathan and other Los Angeles clubs.

The wedding, which was a surprise to all but a few friends, was a quiet one at the Glenwood Mission Inn. Rev. J. Haywood of the First Methodist Church of Riverside performed the ceremony. A second surprise in connection with the wedding was the discovery by the groom that he and the pastor were from the same eastern college and had known each other years ago.

Mrs. Black comes from Ohio, and has a little boy, Jo-Ed, 5 years of age. The couple will spend their honeymoon touring California in their car, and on their return will make their home at No. 335 Kingsley drive.

Luncheon at Ebell.

A luncheon will be given today at the Ebell Clubhouse by the members of the social science and civic department to which several guests have been invited. The luncheon will be of unusual interest because of the many speakers of prominence on the programme. Among the speakers and guests will be Mrs. Josiah Evans Cowles, president of the General Federation of Women's Clubs; Mrs. Homer A. Miller of Iowa, director of the General Federation; Mrs. Kathleen Gray Nelson, lecturer, of New York City; Madame Bowles, lecturer and clubwoman; Mary A. Hart of Alaska, and Mr. Zoellner of the Zoellner string quartette.

Off for Sacramento.

Mrs. Alfred Bartlett accompanied her husband, Assemblyman Bartlett, to Sacramento to remain during the session. They will stay at the Traveler's Hotel.

Spring Betrothal.

Mr. and Mrs. Frederick Luenberger, No. 6128 Edmund street, Hollywood, announce the engagement of their daughter, Crystal Claribel, to Albert G. Priester, also of Hollywood. The wedding will take place early this spring.

Preparedness Note.

Midwick Country Club believes in preparedness, and as a stimulus to rifle practice will stage a shooting match on the club grounds Saturday, March 3, with Los Angeles Country Club men as competitors. A special luncheon will be served before the shoot, and a large gallery of members will be present both at the repast and at the tournament which follows. An afternoon tea-dance will follow.

Lay Corner-stone.

A novelty in social functions was the one given by Mr. and Mrs. Edward Bishop of Chicago, now residing on No. 1246 Havenhurst drive, when they invited several guests to witness the laying of the corner-stone of their new bungalow, Havener-way," in Hollywood Tuesday afternoon.

Mrs. John Oger presented the hostess with a bunch of California poppies and lobina, which was placed on the corner-stone, and the host and hostess drank from a golden loving cup the first water from the spring on the place. After the embryonic bungalow had been duly christened, the party motored into Los Angeles where they took lunch at Levy's. Those present were Mrs. T. Brown, Mrs. John Oger, Mrs. Hill, Mr. Blair (the architect,) Mrs. P. C. Lutz of Chicago, Mr. Kinyon of Chicago, Mr. and Mrs. W. Pierse of Manhattan place and the host and hostess.

Wedding Announcement.

Announcement is made of the marriage of Miss Rose M. Law and Frederic W. Roloff, at the home of the officiating minister, Rev. J. M. Schaefle, of No. 1206 El Molino street, last Monday afternoon. Following the ceremony the bridal couple left for San Jose, where they will reside.

Sorority Entertained.

A colonial party was given last week at the home of Dr. and Mrs. A. J. Scholl to the members of the local chapter of Alpha Epsilon Iota. Colonial costumes were worn by the guests, and the house decorations favors were carried out in the same style of long ago. A short business session preceded the evening's frolic, and later a colonial banquet was served. Members of the Kappa Chapter participating were: Drs. Vetruria Armstrong, Fredericka A. Keep, Ladira B. Bennett, M. Eleanor Gettin, Nannia Dunsmoar, Etta Gray, Nellie S. Hayes, Olga Murray-McNeile, Mary Noble, Lula Hunt Peters, Jean Margaret Roberts, Cynthia Skinner, Eleanor Seymour, Augusta Tuber, Francis Frank and Agnes Scholl. Special guests were: Dr. and Mrs. Albert I. Scholl, Dr. Elizabeth Saphro, Dr. Victor Saphro, Miss Morrison, Miss Roberts, Dr. Daniel D. Comstock and Mr. Peters.

Bride-elect Entertained.

An informal Lenten tea was given yesterday afternoon in honor of Miss Madeline Souden, whose marriage to Christy Walsh will take place after Easter, by Miss Nina Robinson, niece of Mrs. Erasmus Wilson of Chester place, at whose home the affair was given. Those who attended the affair were Miss Perkins, who is the guest of her aunt, Mrs. Robert Wankowski; Miss Lois Salisbury, Miss Wilson, who is the house guest of Mrs. O. H. Churchill; Miss Madeline Purdon, Miss Florence Hunt, Miss Lilian Carleton, Miss Gretchen Day, Miss Conley, Miss Florence Summers, Miss Ethelwyn Walker, Miss Louise Hill, Miss Clara Leonardt, Miss Ethel Hopkins, the Misses Evelyn and Hardie Wallis, Miss Effie Tuttle and Miss Katherine Gibson.

From Golden Gate.

Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Hanchett of San Francisco are spending a week in Los Angeles at Hotel Alexandria, and motoring about the southern part of the State. Mr. Hanchett has large property interests in Los Angeles.

Surprise Party.

The members of the J.L.G. Club of Los Angeles entertained Miss Jean Taylor of No. 1213 East Sixty-second street, recently, with a birthday surprise party at her home. The evening was spent with games and dancing, and Miss Winnie Laird rendered several vocal numbers. Refreshments were served later, with the club colors, purple and white, carried out in the menu. Those present were: Misses Lalla Wilson, Winnie Laird, Minnie Subke, Violet Fits, Agnes Millar, Jean Millar, Agnes Anderson, Margaret Taylor, Elsie McCune, Christina Taylor and May Taylor, and Messrs. Harry Coqueugniot, Robert Campbell, James Robb, Ronald Millar, Rose Mack, Thomas Faircher, George Rike, Alexander Anderson, John Bain, Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Miller, Mrs. L. V. McCune and Mr. and Mrs. Robert Taylor.

FRIVOLS.

Up and Down Broadway.

SHOWLAND PATTER.

NORMAND RACING SCENES SOON TO BE STAGED.

By Grace Kingsley.

Just what qualifications should one possess to become a grand opera star? Experts on the subject, viz., grand opera stars themselves, have as many different varieties of advice to offer as are encountered by the man with a cold. One star tells you it's all in diet; if you eat the right things and practice two hours a day at the end of eight or ten years you will be a Melba. Others advise you it's the kind of religion you happen to fancy which makes or breaks you. Some singers say, "Live; experience all of life you can." Still others tell you to mortify the flesh and hie you to a nunnery. Others, again, will tell you to depend on every sort of thing for success, from cod health to a rabbit's foot worn on the chest. Cavalieri placed the emphasis on happiness; Melba sunshine and study; Maggie Teyte says "concentration and hard work;" Mme. Chilson-Ohrman, member of the Metropolitan Opera Company, who is spending a season on the Orpheum circuit, has an interesting formula.

How to do It.

Mme. Ohrman who was a protege of the famous Paris teacher, De Reszke, said yesterday: "The voice is the least of all. I mean that, though you have the voice, there are a dozen other things which must not be overlooked. Many American girls fail because, as Mary Garden says, they look out of the window too much. That is, they aren't willing to work, to concentrate, to deny themselves the smaller pleasures of life. De Reszke told me that the loveliest and freshest voices he encountered were those of American girls, yet that few of them succeeded because they would not work. Beside, you simply must hold kind and loving thoughts toward humanity—a spirit of understanding and forgiveness—for the voice is a sensitive thing which absorbs and reflects something of the spirit. Live, understand, but work, work, work.

"The present war should mean much to the American composer of music, but, though I am an American, I doubt if our musicians as a class have the spirit of devotion which makes for great music."

Her Kind Heart.

Mme. Ohrman, though a very young woman herself, with a spirit of unselfishness seldom found in youth, is always willing to help aspiring genius. She trained one young girl in New York last year who is a veritable sensation in light opera in the big city this year. And there was a man who was a street violinist a few years ago, who, playing beneath her window, attracted her interest by his superior art. Today, owing to Mme. Ohrman's help, he is a member of the Chicago Symphony Orchestra.

Before Mme. Ohrman went to Europe, four years ago, her chauffeur implored the singer to hear his sister sing. She finally consented. The girl had a pleasant enough voice, but nothing remarkable.

"However, I really wanted somebody to occupy my house while I was in Europe," said the prima donna, "so to pay her for overseeing it I arranged that she have instruction during my absence. But when I returned that girl fairly carried me off my feet with her singing. She was a wonder. She had been working like a slave, and will take her place in the musical world ere long."

More Afraid of King.

Ramsey Wallace, playing leads at the Morosco, left London only last August. He tells of a Scottish hero whom he met there. This man had just been decorated by King George for superlative bravery in rescuing a wounded British officer under fire in the French trenches. The story of how the brave young Scot, a man of the common people, took his decoration had just leaked out.

"The hero was frightened to death as he came into the presence of the king," said Wallace, "much more frightened than he had ever been on the battlefield.

"'You received forty-two wounds, didn't you,' said the king, in commenting on the Scot's bravery.

"'Yes, Your Majesty, I got forty-two wounds—but, really, only fifteen of them were serious!'"

Second Run Florence.

To resemble a famous person sometimes has more in its favor than appears on first glance. Adelina O'Connor, playing the leading role in "The House of Glass" at the Mason, should know. Last season, soon after her debut, having understudied Florence Reed in "The Yellow Ticket," she was suddenly called upon to play the role. It was in Boston, and Florence Reed had been widely advertised. Suddenly she was taken very ill. The management was distraught. But it was Miss Reed herself that suggested Miss O'Connor play the part without informing the public of the change, and so closely did she resemble Miss Reed, both in looks and acting, that nobody knew the difference, and the piece ran for several weeks.

Bulletin No. 9999.

The kaleidoscopic change in motion picture directors at the different studios makes it necessary to issue a bulletin every day. Now it's William D. Taylor, lately with the Fox, who has returned to the Morosco studio. Edward J. Le Saint is reported to have left the Lasky company.

Steele Steals Away.

B. C. Steele, who has successfully managed the Symphony Theater during the past few months, left yesterday on the Santa Fe limited for Cleveland, where he will assume the management of the Mall Theater, one of the largest flicker shops of that metropolis. While here, "Barney" Steele, as he was known, made many friends in newspaper and theatrical circles, who view with regret his departure, and while wishing him bon voyage and success in his new venture, more heartily desire his speedy return to this city.

Free for All.

Those who have an interest in viewing themselves in motion pictures will be interested to learn that the racing scenes of "Mickey," the Mabel Normand feature now nearly completed, are to be staged at Exposition Park next Sunday morning at 9 o'clock.

The Pearl of Filmland.

Anita Stewart,

Who is the chief jewel in "The Girl Philippa" this week at Tally's Broadway.

Show World Review.

KEEPING 'EM AMUSED.

ENTERTAINING BILLS AT THE LOCAL THEATERS.

There is no dearth of good entertainment at local theaters this week, and the people are showing their appreciation by filling the various show houses at every performance. At the Mason there is an interesting production called "The House of Glass," a sociological play that is not "high brow" enough to be unpopular. At the Morosco "A Pair of Queens" is making thousands laugh, while at the Burbank a bunch of pretty American girls, dressed in Hawaiian garb, continue to charm the bald-headed row (and maybe a few others) in "Hello Hawaii!" At the Trinity Auditorium the noted playwright, Sir. H. Granville Barker, will appear tomorrow night to tell the people about "The New Art in the Theater."

There are a bunch of new features at the various vaudeville houses, while the picture theaters continue to offer one good thing after another. The talk of the town just now is "A Daughter of the Gods" in which Annette Kellermann is being featured at Clune's Auditorium. "Joan, the Woman," still leads "the house" to victory at the Majestic, while all the other houses offer exceptionally good bills.

Mason.

A special feature of the Julian Eltinge engagement in "Cousin Lucy," which comes to the Mason Operahouse next week and for which seats are now on sale, will be the exhibition on the opening night of a new wardrobe, valued at $10,000. Many of the models in this wardrobe are said to be so ultra in design that they are carefully guarded against being copied, and therefore are shown but once in each city.

"The House of Glass" is attracting splendid houses to the Mason this week.

Morosco.

A pair of queens is always a good pair to draw to, and "A Pair of Queens" at the Morosco this week is proving a splendid drawing card. Martha Mann and Richard Dix, surrounded by an excellent cast, including Ramsey Wallace, Lola May, James Corrigan, Joseph Eggenton, Warner Baxter, Sue MacManamy, Audell Baxter and David Butler, are doing excellent work. The company now has in preparation the comedy success, "A Pair of Silk Stockings."

Burbank.

Although Los Angeles musical comedy lovers seem to have fallen in love with "Hello Hawaii!" that fascinating combination of fun and folly will say "Aloha" to Burbank audiences Saturday night, to make room for "The Flirting Princess," which will start Sunday afternoon. The production will star Miss Mabel Baker and the big pony ballet will again be in evidence.

Orpheum.

Beginning with the matinee Monday, a bill of nine acts, one more than usual, will come to the Orpheum. The programme is headed by the Farber Girls and by Francis Nordstrom and William Pinkham. The former, Constance and Irene, are said to be unusual entertainers in dances, songs and patter, while Nordstrom and Pinkham appear in Miss Nordstrom's new playlet, "All Wrong. Others on the bill are Miss Leitzel, "the wonder of the air;" Hans Hanke, pianist from Moscow; Ralph Riggs and Katherine Witchie in a series of dances, and Howard's dogs and ponies.

From the present week there will remain Mme. Chilson-Ohrman, Harry Lester Mason and Imhoff Conn and Coreene.

Cressy and Dayne, George Nash and company and Pilcer and Douglas close this week.

Pantages.

The present week's programme at Pantages holds a special appeal to the children, not only in the delight they are taking in Gruber's circus act, but because Manager Walker has arranged a special treat for the little ones for Saturday afternoon. The children will be invited to go upon the stage, eat peanuts and pet the animals to their hearts' content. Beside the circus act, the bill includes the Wilson brothers, Metropolitan Five, Nan Gray, Dan Kelly and company, Gaston Palmer and the second installment of "The Secret Kingdom."

Hippodrome.

The finest box of joy powders ever offered at the Hippodrome is promised next week. The line-up follows: The Georgalis Trio in a startling sharp-shooting novelty; Trott and Morrison, in a pot-pourl of singing, dancing and instrumental numbers; the Four Prescotts, in clever gymnastic offering; "The Long and the Short of It," a comedy sketch by Bayle and Patsy; Adamson and Kekuhaa's Royal Hawaiians with their ukuleles, singing guitars and splendid voices; Maggie Le Claire, "the lady from Ireland"—very tragic—and the Kerville family, in a unique novelty in juggling, skating and bicycling, beside pictures.

Barker Lecture.

Arrangements have been completed by the Los Angeles Center of the Drama League of America for the lecture tomorrow night at Trinity, by Sir H. Granville Barker, the noted English playwright and producer, on "The New Art in the Theater." Dr. Barker's address will be preceded by a short organ recital by Archibald Sessions, the recital to begin at 8:15 o'clock.

"Mission Play."

"The Mission Play," with Tyrone Power in the role of Junipero Serra and the charming Lucretia del Valle in the leading feminine role, will reopen Sunday afternoon at the old historic theater at San Gabriel. The famous Spanish singers and dancers and Indian dancers are still a feature of the production.

Tally's Broadway.

The second week of "The Girl Phillipa" at Tally's Broadway Theater is proving even better, judging from box office receipts, than the first week. The picture fan who is looking for "thrills" will certainly find them in "The Girl Phillipa." From a bespangled cashier in a cheap cafe on the Franco-German border, to one of the most important figures in government, the career of "the girl" is intensely interesting in action and fascinating in romance.

According to Tally patrons, few pictures as good have ever been seen at that or any other theater.

Clune's Auditorium.

For wonderful natural scenery, photographic achievement, stage setting and feats of skill and daring, the William Fox masterpiece, "A Daughter of the Gods," featuring the beautiful Annette Kellermann, is without question one of the wonder pictures of the decade. The haunting music for the production, written by Robert Hood Bowers, is rendered by one of the best orchestras in the West.

Majestic.

No amount of critics' praise nor press agents' advertising can keep a legitimate drama or a picture running for seven weeks at one theater unless the people pronounce the production good and back up their opinion by hard cash. Yet that is the record of "Joan the Woman" at the Majestic, which is now in its seventh week and bids fair to run for yet another week.

Miller's.

Following the highly-successful engagement of Theda Bara in "The Tiger Woman," the attraction at Miller's Theater beginning next Sunday will be a big Fox "slum play," entitled "Sister Against Sister," starring Virginia Pearson, Irving Cummings, Walter Law and Baby Jane Lee. The additional feature will be another Foxfilm comedy, said to be even better than the one which, this week, is keeping Miller houses laughing.

Woodley.

Murray week at the Woodley, with Charlie Murray in the Sennett-Keystone comedy, and Mae Murray in the Paramount-Lasky production "On Record," is said to be smashing all records for attendance at that popular house. Next week Marguerite Clark comes to Woodley's in "The Fortunes of Fifi," while another Sennett-Keystone picture called "Villa of the Movies," starring Glen Cavender, will be the supporting attraction.

Alhambra.

Marie Dressler, "the funniest woman on earth," will appear with Johnny Hines at the Alhambra, beginning Sunday, in a five-reel comedy, called "Tillie Wakes Up," which is said even to surpass the laugh triumph, "Tillie's Punctured Romance."

For the rest of the present week June Caprice and Baby Jane Lee will continue to entertain in "A Child of the Wild."

Superba.

People are saying all sorts of pleasant things about Florence La Badie and her work in "Her Life and His," the present week's attraction at the Superba. The theme of the play is one of eternal interest, i.e., the problem of the woman who is "down and out." The way she makes good is shown in "Her Life and His."

Palace.

Kitty Gordon, whose back and whose gowns have been the subject of no little comment in the past, has "come back" with both back and gowns and will be seen at the Palace, starting Sunday, in a sex play called "Vera the Medium," adapted from the novel by Richard Harding Davis. This week Lou-Tellegen and Neil Shipman are dividing honors in "The Black Wolf."

Clune's Broadway.

In "Stage Struck," a very human and timely five-part drama, a constellation of histrionic luminaries present one of the best attractions of the year at Clune's Broadway this week: Prominent in the play are Spottiswoode Aitken, Jennie Lee, Frank Bennett, Kate Toncray, Fred A. Warren and Dorothy Gish. Beginning next Sunday Constance Talmadge will appear in a romance entitled "Betsy's Burglar."

Garrick.

The names of William S. Hart, House Peters and Enid Markey, either individually or collectively, always spell success, so it is but natural that the three stars should score a big hit when playing in the one picture "Between Men," at the Garrick this week.

Next week Douglas Fairbanks, "Chaplin's only rival," will be seen at the Garrick in "The Lamb."

Symphony.

The story of the Prodigal Son, perhaps the greatest "heart interest" story ever told, will be portrayed in pictures at the Symphony Theater, starting Sunday. Harold Lockwood and May Allison will appear in the photoplay from James B. Hendryx's novel, "The Promise."

This week the feature at the Symphony is "One of Many," with Frances Nelson.

MUSICAL.

Novelty.

THEIR SPELL CHARMS.

FLONZALEY QUARTETTE CONCERT DELIGHTS CHILDREN.

By Edwin Schallert.

Genuine attentiveness of a rare type extolled the beauties of the playing of the Flonzaley Quartette more than the enthusiastic handclappings of the thousands have done on many other occasions, yesterday afternoon at Trinity Auditorium. Fifteen hundred members of the younger portion of the city paid the compliment of their appreciation of the chamber music offered by the noted organization. With the parents and teachers, who chiefly made up the remainder of the audience, the youngsters from high and grammar school classes crowded the auditorium, at the concert, given for their especial instruction, at a nominal fee, by Manager Behymer. The attendance was the largest the Flonzaley has enjoyed at such an event since leaving Detroit. Even the stage was a mass of fascinated children, who had come to hear the most notable quartette they had ever heard of.

The playing of the Flonzaley organization has the charm of a beautiful simplicity that could reach the child mind as few similar combinations might. It was fascinating to see with what rapt faces some of the youngsters watched the players. With the crowd on the stage, there was entertainment for the eyes as well as the ears of those who sat in the auditorium. One little girl with long dark curls hardly moved an eyelash during the playing, so intent was her attention fastened on the musicians. Another boy in the neighborhood fell to the musical feast like an experienced connoisseur of the fine arts. Still another held programme to mouth like some young Pan playing an accompaniment upon his pipe. A little girl in a front seat read her whole programme through before she would listen to a note.

The selections were of charming character. The concert began at the unusual hour of 4 o'clock to allow plenty of time to get from school to auditorium. The opening selection was from the classical past, a Mozart C major quartette, of which two movements were played. Then the Flonzaley gave a touch of the modern in Tschaikowsky, then a taste of Beethoven, and two delicate contrasting bits of Haydn and Glazounow.

All the organization's most exquisite qualities seemed concentrated in the Andante Cantabile from the Tschaikowsky Quartette. Even two little girls in the balcony who had started to hold a colloquy across the aisle during the early part of the number, fell under the spell of the music before they got through. The listeners on the stage were all attention.

"A GOOD SHOW."

"Gee, it was a good show," said one of the youngest of the younger generation, as he left the auditorium. "I bet that guy with the long hair can put it over them all though. He looks just like a bandit I saw in the movies last night."

"Naw he couldn't, the other fellow with the big fiddle's got them all beat, because he can make more noise."

The concert as a whole, however, was striking evidence of the work the public schools are doing in music—the remarkable progress the children have made in appreciation. The event was rich in its promises for the art of the future here.

The Flonzaley Quartette is a rare organization. Technical finish is but the smallest part of their work. It is the absolute perfection of the blending of their tone that is the greatest material beauty, and this is not counting the esthetic impulse. Sometimes all four instruments sound but as a single one.

Adolfo Betti, Alfred Pochon, Ugo Ara and Iwan d'Archambeau, remind me of a quartette that Jules Verne describes in a book I read some years ago, which quartette was so good that the inhabitants of a marvelous floating island out in the Pacific, where all millennial dreams come to pass, kidnapped them to furnish beautiful music. The Flonzaley organization is almost too good to be true.

Louis Graveure Tonight.

Louis Graveure, the distinguished Belgian baritone, will be heard in a song programme tonight at Trinity Auditorium. He will sing a variety of numbers of the unhackneyed type.

Symphony Tomorrow.

An exceedingly attractive concert is promised by the Symphony Orchestra tomorrow afternoon at Trinity. Two striking numbers of the modern school are included on the programme. Soloist will be S. R. Valenza, harpist of the organization.

New Chorus Rehearsal.

The Young America Chorus, newly formed, under the direction of Mme. Maquet-Devilder, noted French musical conductor, will holds its rehearsal tonight at Normal Hill Center. This new organization is to study the works of the masters in choral form, and it is planned to present Cesar Franck's "Le Beatitudes" in the spring, under the direction of Pierre Monteux, conductor of the Diaghileff Ballet Russe. Mr. Monteux assisted Mme. Maquet-Devilder in the giving of a memorial music festival for her husband at Lille some years ago.

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But Rickenbacher was up against a strange proposition. The best he could was 48s. flat. Stepping into a brand new creation precludes the possibility of breaking records, and Eddie was quite content to learn the ways and idiosyncrasies of the boat.

As a preliminary to the main event at Ascot, Sunday, Eddie Rickenbacher will make a try for the course record in the Frontenac. That he has a good chance, everyone admits, but not a few think that Boyer himself could easily turn the trick.

All the cars entered in the ex-George Washington Sweepstakes have been out for practice sometime during the week. Earl Cooper and

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FOXHALL KEENE GETS BAD START.

[DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

CORONADO, Feb. 28.—In a brief six-period game today, which was witnessed by a large crowd, a white team captained by Earle Hopping beat a red team captained by Foxhall Keene, by a score of 7¾ to 3¾. Keene, although putting up a good game in view of the fact that he was seriously injured but a few weeks ago in a steeplechase in New York, could not play up to his rating of ten goals. On the other hand, Hopping at No. 3 and J. Cheever Cowdin at back, made formidable opponents. Hopping made four goals and took the last after carrying the ball the entire length of the field with all four opponents after him.

The score was: Red team, No. 1, H. E. Talbot, 2 goals; No. 2, H. Weiss, 1 goal; No. 3, Foxhall Weene, 0 goals; back, S. H. Velie, 1 goal. Total earned goals, 4; penalties, safety by S. H. Velie; net score 3¾.

White team, No. 1, Laurence Phipps, 1 goal; No. 2, Julius Fleischman, 0 goals; No. 3, E. W. Hopping, 4 goals; back, J. Cheever Cowdin, 2 goals. Total earned goals, 8; penalties, safety by J. Fleischmann; net score, 7¾.

A Whopper.

PLAN MAMMOTH YACHT REGATTA

Santa Barbara to Hold Big Yachting Affair.

Sloops from Every Club in State to Compete.

Speed Boats may be Added Attractions.

BY E. D. SEWARD.

LOS ANGELES HARBOR, Feb. 28.—Tentative plans for a mammoth yachting regatta, to be held at Santa Barbara in August, were formulated at a banquet last Saturday evening, tendered to representatives of the five Southern California sailing clubs at the clubhouse of the South Coast Yacht Club at this port.

The date set for the event was August 7, individual races to Santa Barbara, starting from San Francisco, Los Angeles and San Diego on August 4.

The newly rejuvenated Santa Barbara Yacht Club will provide cups for these races from the three starting points. And on Tuesday, August 7, will begin the contests for cups in a three-day regatta.

Com. Clio Lloyd of the Santa Barbara Yacht Club, with a number of his flag officers and members presented the invitation for the regatta. The Chamber of Commerce and Milo M. Potter of the Potter Hotel, also joined in the invitation. Com. Alexander J. Mitchell of the South Coast Yacht Club, Rear-Com. Morgan Adams of the Los Angeles Yacht Club, Ex-Com. Charles E. Smith of the San Diego Yacht Club and Vice-Com. Wilson of the Newport Harbor Yacht Club joined in the acceptance and the arrangements for the meet.

A letter was read from Com. Earl Miller of the San Francisco Yacht Club, stating that five yachts would compete from the north via. The Seafarer, Idris, Mah-pe, Athene and Lady Betty.

From a speed boat standpoint, Vice-Com. Wilson offered to send up the B.I.F. from Newport to compete with Com. Miller's Del H. (formerly the Oregon Kid.) Although the officers of the Los Angeles Motor Boat Club were unable to be present, a letter was read from L. Barclay, chairman of the Regatta Committee, stating that they would be glad to assist in making the regatta a success.

In addition to the interest already taken in the coming regatta from a racing standpoint, the social features touched on by the Santa Barbara committee are receiving attention. During this summer the military encampment will bring to Santa Barbara an abundance of social life and every brand of sport will be represented.

Following the regatta the auxiliary sloop Royal, the flagship of the Santa Barbara Yacht Club, will lead the fleet over to Frier's Harbor on Santa Cruz Island, where a week's cruise will take place.

The members and guests were weather bound at the S.C.Y.C. Clubhouse over Saturday night and on Sunday afternoon all were taken for a short sail by Ex-Com. D. H. Lattenheimer on the auxiliary yawl Ortona.

The settling of the dates for the annual regatta and cruise has enabled Com. Mitchell and his officers to make a good start in the arrangements of the season's programme, which will soon be ready for the printers.

AUTO CLUB HAS SAME OFFICERS.

Officers to guide the Automobile Club of Southern California through what promises to be its greatest year to date, have been elected at the annual meeting of the board of directors, held Monday night.

According to the result of the election, which was made known yesterday, Fred L. Baker will again head the club as president. All officers serving during the past year were again returned to office, these including W. L. Valentine as first vice-president, H. G. Miller, second vice-president; Standish L. Mitchell, secretary, and Ralph Reynolds as assistant secretary.

MRS. LUTHER KENNETT IS BEATEN IN FIRST ROUND.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

CORONADO, Feb. 28.—Local golf lovers received the surprise of their lives today when Mrs. Luther M. L. Kennett, Southern California woman's golf champion, was beaten in the first round of the Coronado women's championship play by Miss Elisabeth Allen of Davenport, Iowa. No one was more surprised than the charming little Mrs. Kennett herself, who is far and away the best woman golfer about here and has no trouble to retain her laurels here. She was beaten 1 up by Miss Allen, who, it should be known, is the Iowa State woman golf champion.

Yesterday Mrs. Kennett led with much the lowest score in the qualifying round for the championship flight. At that time she made the astonishingly low score of 82, while Miss Allen's score was 99. This probably was due to the fact that Miss Allen was unfamiliar with the course. Today, however, she had become better acquainted and played a steady game, while Mrs. Kennett was not up to the mark and lost by poor putting.

Other results in the championship flight today were: Miss Mary Cameron beat Mrs. J. E. Weil, 8 and 6; Mrs. Cave Couts beat Mrs. Brundred, 1 up, and Mrs. C. F. Atkinson beat Miss Henderson, 3 and 1.

Picture gallery of celebrities at Coronado.

W. G. Morse (left,) son of the inventor of the telegraph; Maj. Colin George Ross, Coronado polo[illegible] (center,) and Foxhall Keene (right,) who was made a ten-goal player by the recent action of the committee.

Excitement.

INTERSECTIONAL TENNIS MATCH DRAWING NEAR.

Possibility that Johnston, Griffin and Strachan may not Compete for the West—Eastern Team Now well on its Way Here for the Matches but Western Selections are Still up in the Air.

EASTERNERS ARRIVE FOR INTERSECTIONAL MATCH.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

SAN FRANCISCO BUREAU OF THE TIMES, Feb. 28.—George Church and Harold Throckmorton, the eastern tennis players who made a tour of the Orient, arrived in this city today from Honolulu. They were accompanied by Willis Johnston and Johnny Strachan. Peck Griffin, another of the tennis cracks, remained in the islands and was still debating about making the trip to Australia that he had mapped out.

In the Honolulu tournament Johnston defeated George Church in the singles finals, and the local team of Johnston and Strachan annexed the doubles. Church was successful in winning the tennis championship of the Orient, Throckmorton being beaten in the final match.

Church and Throckmorton leave tomorrow morning for Los Angeles, where they will get ready for the East-vs.-West team matches on March 8, 9 and 10. Johnston and Strachan will not compete in the event.

THE East versus West tennis matches scheduled for next week are causing an unexpected amount of excitement. With the eastern squad well started on its way to the Coast, the local pickers have as yet failed to select the athletes who are to defend the honor of the Golden State.

Work was commenced yesterday on the new asphalt court at the University of Southern California. The ground was leveled and pounded. Today the asphalt will be laid. Friday it will be marked an the backstops will be put up in time for the players to commence practice on Monday morning.

The eastern squad is well on its way here. Church and Throckmorton arrived in San Francisco yesterday and start south this morning. Fred Alexander and Conrad Doyle left New York yesterday, and T. R. Pell will start today. Molla Bjurstedt is also on her way to the Coast.

The western selections are terribly up in the air. It has been understood that the team would be composed of Willis Johnston, Peck Griffin, Johnny Strachan, Maurice McLoughlin, Nat Browne and Claude Wayne. The three southerners are hard at work and ready to play, but the northerners are spilling the beans.

First, Peck Griffin decided that he might take a trip to Australia, and stayed over in Honolulu to make up his mind. Unless he takes the next boat back—the same arriving in San Francisco in the middle of next week—there is little possibility of his participation in the matches.

Then came objections to the playing of Johnston and John Strachan. The California Tennis Association feared a repetition of the charges of professionalism, and does not want the Bay City players to take too many trips. Although the matter has not been definitely decided, it is feared that the northern stars will not compete.

Should none of the three northern stars come south for the matches, the chances are that Willis Davis and probably Carl Gardner and either Wynn Mace or Tom Bundy would complete the teams. The matter will not be definitely decided until word is received from Dr. Sumner Hardy of San Francisco.

It has been decided to have four singles matches and three doubles events, and, in addition, a round robin between Molla Bjurstedt, Mary Browne and May Sutton Bundy. The matches will begin next Wednesday and continue through Saturday.

ST. MARY'S BLANKS STANFORD 3 TO-0.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

STANFORD UNIVERSITY, Feb. 28.—St. Mary's College blanked the Stanford varsity nine, 3 to 0, this afternoon, five errors proving fatal to the Cardinals. A sensational right field catch by Mitchell featured the game. "Doc" Hayes appeared at his old position at first base for the first time this season. The score:

St. Mary's, 3; hits, 5; errors, 1.

Stanford, 0; hits, 4; errors, 5.

Batteries—Stanford, Draper and Campbell; St. Mary's Collins and Mog.

Developments.

WHITMAN MAY BANISH DARCY.

Thinks He has the Right to Stop the Fight.

Explanations Given by Darcy for Leaving Home.

Whole Situation is Very High in the Air.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

ALBANY (N. Y.) Feb. 28. — Gov. Whitman expects to decide tomorrow whether he will prevent the Darcy-Dillon fight in New York Monday night. The Governor today is considering information laid before him last night calling his attention to the section in the boxing law, which provides that no bout shall be held that violates public decency.

Gov. Whitman has been informed that in Australia, while the law does not call for conscription, it makes it obligatory upon all males between the ages of 18 and 25 to stay in the country for home defense in case of war. Information in the hands of the Governor is to the effect that Darcy's explanation as to why he left Australia at this time was that he was not of military age until five days after his steamer had sailed is a misleading statement in that Darcy just passed his twenty-first and not his eighteenth birthday.

Another explanation given by Darcy is said to be that he came here to earn money for his parents at home. Against this statement is the Governor's information that Darcy has earned nearly $100,000 since he began fighting. The Governor is said to be inclined to think there is some merit in the contention against Darcy.

Al McCoy's claim that he was entitled to meet Darcy on Monday night was also dissipated tonight. At the request of Commissioner Wenck, Leonard J. Obermeier, Deputy Attorney-General, wrote a legal opinion for the commission, in which he stated that as long as Hugh Grant Browne, lessee of Madison Square Garden, was acting in good faith in putting on Darcy and Dillon, the boxing commission had no right to interfere and should not do so.

McCoy has his relief in a private action at law, according to Mr. Obermeier. Wenck said tonight that when Commissioners Franey and Dwyer meet tomorrow for a conference with him on the matter, he will recommend that McCoy be protected to the extent that after the Darcy-Dillon bout on Monday, Browne allow McCoy the chance to meet Darcy at the Garden, under the terms of his original contract within a space of thirty days.

TROJAN RUNNERS PLAN LONG TRIP.

The University of Southern California expects to enter a team of trackmen in the Pacific Coast intercollegiate and interscholastic relay carnival to be held at Corvallis, Ore., on April 7, according to an announcement made public yesterday by Coach Cromwell.

This indoor meet comes at just the right time for the U.S.C. athletes, as on the Friday and Saturday previous they will meet Stanford and California in the north. The following week is the spring vacation, so Coach Cromwell expects to put himself in command of a troupe of six or seven athletes and invade Corvallis.

OAKS SELL BARRY TO MILWAUKEE.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

OAKLAND, Feb. 28.—First Baseman Mal Barry has been sold outright to the Milwaukee club. Warren Adams, drafted by Brooklyn from the Winnipeg club, will be the Oaks' first sacker. Adams hit .331 and stole fifty-five bases in 117 games last season.

President Ewing's recent trip to Los Angeles to see Charles Weeghman, it now develops, was for the purpose of inducing the Chicago magnate to grant waivers on Adams.

PLAN SPRING GRID BATTLE.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

BOULDER (Colo.) Feb. 28. —The University of Colorado will play the Colorado Aggies at Fort Collins on March 31 what is said to be the first game of spring football in the West. The game will bring to an end the spring training season, and is expected to give the coaches a good line on the new men. Coach Hughes of Fort Collins originated the idea.

MORRIS PHILLIPS IS LOW MAN.

WINS QUALIFYING ROUND AT SANTA BARBARA.

Thirty-seven Players to Appear in Today's Play—Carl Schmidt Tied for Second Place—Jack Neville is Fourth—Day Perfect, but Stiff Breeze Interferes Some.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

SANTA BARBARA, Feb. 28.—Morris Phillips was low man in the qualifying round in today's golf tournament. Thirty-seven players stayed with the match through the thirty-six holes and will be in the amateur tournament which begins in earnest tomorrow with three flights.

Phillips made the thirty-six holes with a gross score of 153. Carl Schmidt and W. Tuckerman tied for second place with a gross score of 164, and Jack Neville, the popular northern man, who appeared in the tournament for the first time today, took fourth place with a gross score of 166.

The day was perfect, though a stiff breeze at times interfered with good playing. Several players left tonight, among them G. I. Cudahy.

The gross scores for the day were: Morris Phillips, 153; J. Cudahy, 187; C. Wright, 182; E. N. Wright, 176; George Potter, 185; F. B. Browning, 193; H. S. Russell, 197; L. A. Frothingham, 174; Karl Schmidt, 164; R. Benson, 184; D. Edwards, 184; T. Nieman, 191; H. K. Elston, 199; Jack Neville, 166; F. M. Rhodes, 180; C. Wyman, 203; James Whittemore, 198; R. Derrick, 181; H. E. Ingalls, 168; A. B. Beebe, 206; H. C. Frink and E. W. Alexander, 177; G. H. Leslie, 188; W. Tuckerman, 164; M. B. Washburn, 235; M. W. Broome, 199; W. T. Wood, 177; G. Lyon, 211; C. M. McDaniel, 202; F. R. Carter, 183; J. B. Canty, 173; Oakleigh Thorne, 207; V. Mapes, 204.

CHANDLER EGAN TO BE MARRIED.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

CHICAGO BUREAU OF THE TIMES, Feb. 28.—Word that Mrs. Alice Barrett Scudder and Henry Chandler Egan, golf expert, are soon to be married, was announced here today, to the sensation of the hour since it brought also the first news to hundreds of Chicagoans that Mrs. Scudder had obtained a legal separation from J. Arnold Scudder of Chicago, to whom she was married in 1901.

For some time past Mrs. Scudder has been living in Medford, Or., with her sister Winifred, who was married in 1904 to Francis Winthrop Taylor. The Taylors were divorced in July, 1915. In February, 1917, the former Mrs. Taylor married Leonard Carpenter, her neighbor and Mrs. Scudder's at Medford. Egan has been their neighbor also. In July, 1916, Mr. Egan's first wife, the former Miss Nina McNally, divorced him, and in January, 1917, she married Harold Bingham, another neighbor in the Medford colony.

Baseball.

ATHLETES WORK OFF SOME FAT.

Angels Indulge in a Very Spirited Practice.

Stovall Introduces the Well-known Medicine Ball.

Violent Exercise Again Prescribed for the Cubs.

BY HARRY A. WILLIAMS.

The teams must start all over again. The three of them began work Monday in the belief that they were starting spring training and have gone along gaily for three days under this impression. We hasten to correct this mistake before it is too late. The whole thing has been wrong and out of season, with some of the athletes out of joint.

Officially and astronomically spring weather does not begin to flow and envelop the landscape until March 21, according to the best authorities. So there will be another opening on that date and the players will be in better shape for it than they were Monday. As things now stand they are merely training to get in condition for spring training, which will be done for the purpose of making them fit for the regular season. These supplementary proceedings should serve to get the boys away in great shape.

OVERT ACTS.

Overt acts were committed yesterday for the first time. The dire deeds were done in a game between the Cubs at Tournament Park—three of them by the first team and one by the second. A record of them will be found in the error column.

There are rumors of a split in the Cub camp. This, it is believed, will take place Monday, when the second team, under Jimmy Sheckard, is scheduled to quit Pasadena and browse around in the northern cities for games and gate receipts. This will be a great relief to Fred Mitchell. He thinks forty ball players are too many and has asked Sheckard to take twenty of them away from him.

Sunday's battle between Los Angeles and Chicago at Washington Park assumed increased importance yesterday when it was announced that the club winning the battle will be entitled to give "A Pair of Queens" the e.o. at the Morosco the following night without digging up. This is a corking good comedy and should serve to cheer up those athletes who so far this season have not held anything high enough to open a jack pot.

THE ANGELS.

With the P. L. engaged in selling $20,000 worth of oranges from his Glendora citrus hacienda, Lieut. Joseph Schultz jumped into the breach and piloted the Angels through a spirited practice. Chance considers this a pretty fair return, but now regrets that he didn't plant potatoes instead of oranges. The gent who raises luxuries is the one who makes the big money nowadays.

The regular Los Angeles infield—Gleichmann, Groehling, Lieut. Schultz and Davis—worked out together for the first time. At least that is as regular as the infield can be at the present time, they being the only regulars in the city. The combination ran smoothly, and may prove so cohesive as to become permanent. This was the first appearance of Davis, and Curly Brown also partook of his initial workout.

Among the younger recruits, Pete Le Pan, the catcher from Patton, is making a deep impression, and he hopes it will be lasting. Pete has a 6-inch howitzer up his sleeve, and also can hit spring pitching. Another thing in his favor is that he has become so accustomed to "bues"

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Of Whittier High School.

Forwards, Stanley, Whittier High, and Wayhan, Hollywood High.

Center, Homeier, Whittier High.

Running guard, W. Wolford, Alhambra High.

Standing guard, Beam, Whittier High.

Many coaches have picked southern all-star basketball teams this season, but, to my mind, none have selected the strongest playing combination.

Among the forwards, Stanley of Whittier and Wayhan of Hollywood have been almost unanimous selections and are the best two in the south. Both are fast and can dribble and pass well, Stanley being the better in the last two departments. Sutton of Alhambra is a brilliant individual performer, but would not fit well in the teamwork of any team. Mundt of Whittier is good, but too erratic, having fallen down in the two critical games.

At center I place Homeier of Whittier. Starting the season as an absolutely green player, he finished far ahead of Boeck and at least the equal of Wolford, both veterans. His aggressiveness, speed and ability to follow the ball instinctively give him the position, to my mind, without a doubt. Boeck is weak defensively, while either Boeck or Homeier can outjump Wolford.

It is in the guarding work that I would differ from the other coaches. Nearly all guards this year are strong defensively, but are weak in offense. To provide a man who can guard as well as carry the ball up the field and shoot I have chosen Will Wolford of Alhambra. He fills the position in a way that none of the other guards do. Beam, of course, is the unanimous choice for "back" guard. His enormous reach, his wonderful strength and his uncanny ability to foretell where the ball is going stamp him as the greatest guard in the State. But to take him from this position and place him in any other would be to weaken your team at least 30 per cent.

BILLIARD NOTES.

The "Snooker" tournament for the championship of Southern California is scheduled to start play Thursday evening at 8 o'clock, when George Hughes and A. Klaus meet in the opening game.

There are six entries in the tourney, and the balance of the schedule for this week is: Friday, 8 p.m., W. C. Pennell versus W. H. Boggs, and on Saturday evening, A. Fuller is to meet Alfred Jordan.

If Jordan can play "snooker" as well as checkers we feel sorry for Fuller.

As this is the first "snooker" tournament to be held in California, a word of explanation about the game seems necessary.

The game of "snooker" is played on a 6x12-foot pocket table, with pocket openings three inches at the corners and three and one-quarter inches at the sides. Twenty-two two and one-sixteenth-inch balls are used—fifteen all red balls, known as the pyramid balls, and six various colored balls, called the pool balls, and a cue ball. The red balls count one and the colored or pool balls range in value as follows: Yellow, 2; green, 3; brown, 4; blue, 5; pink, 6, and black, 7.

A player must pocket a red ball before he can play on a colored ball.

The red balls remain off the table when pocketed, and the pool or colored balls are respotted, until all the red balls are off the table, when they are then pocketed in the order of their value, and remain down. The player having the highest score when all the balls are down wins the game. The penalties are severe.

The game is very fascinating and requires considerable skill.

All of the games are to be played at the Majestic Bowling and Billiard Academy.

STRICT TRAINING FOR CARD CREW.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

STANFORD UNIVERSITY, Feb. 28.—The Stanford crew will go into strict training tomorrow. The news was broken to the oarsmen today. Within a few days, it was announced, the university will have five boats on the water at Redwood City, which will enable every man on the squad to have practice every day. These boats, hitherto, has been the limit of Stanford's navy.

WHITTIER HIGH ISSUES DEFY.

[SPECIAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

WHITTIER, Feb. 28.—Having won the Southern California Interscholastic title in basketball, Whittier High School would like to meet the winners from one or all of the other sections of the State as represented by the California Interscholastic Federation. Negotiations are now in the hands of President Oliver of Los Angeles, looking towards a schedule that will settle the State title.

For the sixth consecutive year Point-a-Minute Wilson of Whittier has put out a winning team. Not at all times has the southern title been settled, but for that many years in succession Whittier High has been the unchallenged title holder.

This year's team lived up to the old name of its successful coach, and has to its credit for the season better than a point a minute for all actual playing time in all its league games.

CARD FRESHIES ARE CAPTIVES.

[DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

STANFORD UNIVERSITY, Feb. 28.—When the Stanford freshman baseball team appeared on the diamond to meet the Santa Clara preps this afternoon, they found no Mission team to oppose them. Instead they found themselves set upon by hordes of sophomores, who proceeded to bind and gag the surprised "frosh" and then carry them to captivity. There is a persistent rumor afloat that the Santa Clara preps team is a myth and that the game with Red and White youngsters was a ruse to lure the Card babies into the open and render them an easy prey for the sophomores.

The annual freshman-sophomore baseball contest, which is usually more of a rush than a game, was set for tomorrow. But it is plain that there will be no game or rush at that time.

The sophomores, by a clever coup have shattered all records for a clean defeat of the baby nine and for a masterful suppression of a potential freshman ego. The 1917 underclass baseball game will go down in history as having been won before it was played.

BASEBALL NOTES.

Skeeter Fanning and Carl Sawyer joined in exercising with the Angels. Fanning will play with Dallas, and expects to pitch himself back into fast company. Sawyer will leave Monday to join the Washington club.

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Kitty Brashear started work at Washington Park, and is believed to be the first umpire in the country to begin active training. Brashear has been working at the Ice Palace, along with Dave Hillyard and other players, but as Kitty's duties consisted solely of taking up tickets, which comes under the head of light exercise, he can stand a little real work with benefit to himself.

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Barney Goss, manager of the Ice Palace, while primarily a hockey fan, confesses to a liking for baseball. He is to be seen among the real birds at Washington Park every day.

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Secretary Weber received tidings from Len McIntyre yesterday. Len sends word that he is gradually finding his way out of the mountains, and will arrive tomorrow unless he gets lost in the manzanita.

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Stovall will send the Tigers through their first game at 1 o'clock tomorrow. It will be a seven-inning affair with the Regulars struggling against the Yannigans.

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Ed Irvine has taken a couple of looks at the Cubs, and picks them to win the pennant. Ed's specialty is football.

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The Angels have been joined by two more recruits—Knight, pitcher, and Eagleson, catcher. They are bushers.

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In order to make room for the regulars, Stovall will begin thinning out the youngsters today or tomorrow. Yesterday he was afflicted with something like thirty ball players, which is too many.

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Casey Castleman, concessionary expert at Washington Park, will visit Pasadena today and see what the prospects are for disposing of peanuts and other delicacies at the game to be played there tomorrow. He denies that he has some stock left over from last season and is planning to stage a bargain sale.

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The Los Angeles line-up against Chicago tomorrow probably will be Arkenberg, pitcher; Bassler, catcher; Gleichmann, first base; Groehling, second base; Schulz, third base; Davis, shortstop; Schulz, left field; Maggert, center field, and Crandall, right field.

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Santa Ana has asked Stovall for a few reinforcements for the game which the Celery Pickers will play against the Cubs next week. George, who always strives to please, says that he can send Santa Ana a couple of whole ball teams and never miss the players.

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Darmody says that Earl Houk, prize Angel fan, has promised to root for Vernon this year. As Earl is blind he might make a mistake, and root for some other club. Darmody, of course, may provide against this by equipping the Tigers with loud uniforms.

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Fred McMullen, Frank Schellenback and Zeb will leave Sunday to join the White Sox at Mineral Wells, Tex.

"Mr. Wad Oughtn't to Think Just Because She's a Picket She Can Take Offense!" By GAL

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Ascot Record.

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Eddie Pullen had their machines in perfect shape last Saturday and have been loafing around with nothing much to do. Their preliminary heats yesterday were exceedingly fast and they are still first rate favorites in spite of the terrific speed of the Frontenac and the sensational driving of Boyer. For some reason or other, local race fans have great confidence in the men who know the course. Ascot is a peculiar and unique speedway and it puts a strain on a driver that he never gets in any other race. Speed, of course, is an essential factor, but driving skill and knowledge of the track are what really put the winners across the plate.

WELL DONE!

Omar Toft in his go-get-'em Omar appeared on the scene yesterday and negotiated a few praiseworthy miles. This Omar has a world of speed and should be in the running if it manages to stay away from the telegraph poles. Omar Toft is a driver of the old school. He believes in winning regardless, and never stops to consider whether he is going to get around a turn or not.

Billy Taylor continues in an excited state and is getting his giant motor in better shape every day. The bearings were a little too tight last week and the delay in the race will add miles per hour to Billy's car.

There is a vague and mysterious rumor going the rounds that this is the last race in which Pullen will drive a Mercer. These two names have been associated for so long that it would be hard to put them apart. Whether it is Pullen's farewell appearance or not, he is going to make them all ramble Sunday.

Unrestricted practice will go on today and tomorrow and all of the experts will be in great shape by the morning of March 4.

CARDS REFUSE TO CHANGE RACE DATE.

[SPECIAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

STANFORD UNIVERSITY, Feb. 27.—Stanford will not grant the request of the University of Washington that the annual tricornered regatta be held on Oakland estuary on the afternoon of April 7 instead of on the morning of April 14, the original date set by agreement. The earlier date would be more desirable to Washington, inasmuch as the northern college has a vacation period at that time.

Stanford is too handicapped by unfavorable training conditions this season to consider moving the date ahead seven days. According to Graduate Manager Behrens, the Cardinal crew needs every available day for training. The University of California appears to be neutral in the matter, either date being acceptable.

CARDS TO PRACTICE RUGBY THIS MONTH.

[SPECIAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

STANFORD UNIVERSITY, Feb. 27.—Spring Rugby training starts here Wednesday, weather permitting, according to an announcement of Capt. Lachmund. Spring workouts on the turf are looked upon as a necessity this year if Stanford hopes to wipe out the 28-to-5 defeat handed to her by Santa Clara last November. A materially shortened fall semester, due to the adoption of the four-quarter system by the university, is the reason for this.

Next season's Rugby training period will be short by one month. Stanford is to reopen on October 1 instead of in September. With the date of the Santa Clara contest set for November 10 Lachmund will have to round out his fifteen in less than six weeks' time. Wet weather has interfered with turf workouts, which have been set for various dates during the past week.

MONTANA GOVERNOR VETOES RACE BILL.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

HELENA (Mont.) Feb. 28. — A bill providing for pari mutuel betting, which passed both houses of the Montana Legislature, was today vetoed by Gov. Sam V. Stewart.

JACK NESS QUITS SOX TO TAKE JOB AS A MECHANIC.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

CHICAGO BUREAU OF THE TIMES, Feb. 28.—Jack Ness, first baseman of the Chicago White Sox, announces his retirement from big-league baseball. This player, who shattered Ty Cobb's world record for consecutive hitting, says he is through with the game so far as the big circuits are concerned. He will enter the employ of a Chicago concern at once, he declares, with the object of becoming a skilled mechanic. Ness practically closed a deal this week that binds him to labor for this business firm.

There is still a chance that President Comiskey may persuade Ness to accompany his club to Mineral Wells, but, according to the player, it is an exceedingly slight one.

Ness was a holdout for more money than was offered him in recent negotiations. He refused to stand for a cut in salary. The slice in Ness's pay envelope was $500. He wanted the same stipend he received last year, which was $3000.

The former Pacific Coaster says it is purely a business move on his part, and, as much as he dislikes to leave the Sox, he must prepare for the future.

"There is more money for me in the end in the business than in baseball if I should sign the latest contract offered me," said Ness. "I can pull down $100 a month playing semi-pro ball in Chicago. This, added to my salary, will net me about the same as that offered me to play for the Sox in 1917."

Baseball.

(Continued from First Page.)

down at Patton that those in the bleachers can't hope to rattle him.

President Powers is due to arrive tomorrow, and hopes to land in time to witness the initial combat between the Cubs and Angels at Tournament Park.

Chance is going to pull the Native Son stuff on the Cubs. He came in town long enough yesterday to sign up Levi Arkenberg, pride of Pasadena. Levi has been pitching good winter ball, and Chance will give him an opportunity to show the people of that town what one of their home-grown athletes can do against big league batters.

THE TIGERS.

President Darmody passed the forenoon in Pasadena inspecting the Cubs. He wants to get a line on them, figuring that he might get some of Mitchell's superfluous players later.

Meantime his own athletes were toiling in the sun at Vernon. George Stovall applied a little more pressure, adding half an hour to the day's work. Everybody got nicely het up, and Chief Johnson, especially, emitted vast clouds of steam. Association with the "Firebrand" is causing the Chief to sizzle, and the beginning of the season will find him boiled down to his best weight.

Chink Mattick, after heroically defending his position for three days, capitulated at 11 a.m. Secretary Jackson presented him with a uniform, and he was declared a member in good standing. With his Fashion Show starting today, Chink wanted a uniform so as to be in style. With no regulation shirt and pants he would have felt sadly out of tune with the occasion.

Stovall introduced the medicine ball, a large sphere about the size of a pie pumpkin, which the athletes playfully tossed back and forth. The medicine ball is said to contain Peruna, St. Jacobs Oil, Cascarets and other remedies, and by associating with it the players are supposed to receive great benefits.

Ivan Olson introduced a new style of pants at the Vernon practice, which are said to be the last word in men's wearing apparel for the coming season. Instead of containing elastics which cause them to fade away at the knee, Olson's new pants drop down and loosely drape the legs to within about eight inches of the ankle. Their superiority lies in the fact that they permit the sea breeze to seep in from below and better ventilate the legs. Heretofore, gentlemen have not worn pants which would permit of this, Dame Fashion decreeing the tight-fitting kind.

THE CUBS.

Violent exercise again featured the daily doings of the Cubs at Pasadena. This fellow Mitchell is a glutton for having others absorb punishment. The athletes engaged in their usual workout and, in addition, played a game of ball among themselves. There was only a slight intermission for lunch, the players being fed at noon without removing their harness. They munched the victuals with their heads poked through the yoke. Mitchell wants to make use of each shining moment. When the moon gets full he may decide to put on a night shift and bed the athletes right on the field. He is giving them a touch of life in the trenches.

The second team offered a stinging rebuke to the first team in the shape of a 5-to-4 score. If this happens again Mitchell may offer to trade his club for Sheckard's and throw in half a dozen second-hand balls to boot. Members of the first team, however, expect to improve with practice, and have solemnly vowed to wipe out this insult sooner or later. They are afraid that the folks back home may begin talking about them. The line-ups were:

No. 1—Flack, right field; Wolter, left field; Yerkes, second base; Williams, center field; Saier, first base; Deal, third base; Wolfe, shortstop; Elliott and Benton, catchers; Zabel, Carter and Aldridge, pitchers.

No. 2—Zelder, second base; Hunter, third base; Meusel, center field; Smith, left field; Mollwitz, first base; Jacobson, right field; Shaw, shortstop; Dillhoefer, catcher; Douglas and McTigue, pitchers.

Score by innings:

No. 1										
No. 2										

Up to a late hour last night Rowdy Elliott was still scorning in a lofty manner the contract offered him. Being an independent prune grower, he is in a position to hold out. If it comes to the worst, Rowdy can live on prunes for the next year and not play ball.

Pop Blanchard, late of Chicago, has joined the squad of idle rich who watch the daily work-outs. Pop is a great skating enthusiast, or claims to be. However, his prestige in this respect is under a cloud. He resigned as president of the International Ice Skating Association so as to come here and live where ice is not a natural product of the country. In doing this he would appear to be crabbing his own game. He says that ice skating needs to be boomed here, while it is on such a firm foundation in Chicago that it can get along without him. Pop's friends, however, believe it is a case of cold feet on his part.

Now that the athletes have learned the city, Tip O'Neill doesn't need to route them to and from the park any more. Just to keep up appearances he had intended to route them to and from their meals, but discovered that they could find their way to the dining-room by animal instinct. So, aside from routing them out of bed in the morning, there is nothing for him to do.

While dining out last night, some of the athletes made an important discovery. It was the "People's Cafe."

"What do you know about that?" exclaimed Jim Vaughn. "This is the first time I suspected there were any people in Pasadena. I though they were all millionaires."

The feet of William M. Wortman, the brilliant young shortstop, suffered an attack of blisters yesterday. After being in pain all day, he got relief last night by pickling them. It is planned to drain the blisters daily until they dry up, and in that way reclaim his feet.

A serious and possibly fatal accident was narrowly averted last night when Pete Standridge was found on the verge of drinking a pint bottle of King Brady's Red Oil. This is a new and powerful liniment invented by the trainer of the Cubs, and Pete had heard Brady remark that it would cure anything from a man to a mule. But Pete didn't know that it was only to be applied to the surface of the body, and fearing another outcropping of boils, decided to tone up his system by drinking a pint three times a day. Kind friends warned him just in the nick of time to save his life and the pint. Pete will continue to use the liniment, but not with his mouth. He will absorb it through the pores of his skin, as intended by the inventor.

A delegation of plumbers were at the park and could be heard inquiring for William Wrigley. They had read about his organ with its 20,000 pipes, and figured that they might drum up a little business.

CLARKSON AND HALL WINNERS.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

BOSTON, Feb. 28.—T. Henry Clarkson and Nathan Hall, both of Boston, were winners in the third day's play in the national amateur class A 18.2 balk-line billiard championship today. Clarkson defeated Edward Rein of Chicago, 400 to 318, in sixty innings, and Hall won from Eugene L. Milburn of Memphis, Tenn., 400 to 219, in forty-one innings.

HANLON UNABLE TO LAST LIMIT.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

NEW ORLEANS, Feb. 28.—Jimmy Hanlon of Denver made such a punching-bag of himself in the last few rounds of his fight tonight with Frankie Callahan of New York without making a show of resistance that Referee Al Wambsgans stopped the fight in the nineteenth round and declared Callahan the winner. Hanlon had the advantage in the first six rounds and won the eleventh round. After that, though, it was a question as to whether or no Callahan could knock Hanlon out. When Hanlon, helpless, only tryin to protect himself, went through the seventeenth and eighteenth rounds without striking a blow and started off the nineteenth, the referee stopped the fight.

CHAMP SWIMMERS MAY VISIT STANFORD.

[SPECIAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

STANFORD UNIVERSITY, Feb. 28.—"Duke" Kahanamoku, McGillivray, Norman Ross, Ludy Langer and other aquatic stars now in Honolulu will appear in the Stanford pool for exhibition races on Saturday, March 10, if the plans of Swimming Coach Brandsten materialize.

The mid-Pacific carnival was completed today. March 9 will see the swimmers back in San Francisco, competing in the Pacific Coast championships. Brandsten, who is a close friend of Langer, Ross and the "Duke," will meet the champions upon their return and endeavor to bring them to Stanford as one of the attractions of the Founders' Day and quarter-century anniversary celebration to be held here March 10.

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Doings of the Coast Leaguers These Days.

FOUR MORE PLAYERS JOIN OAK SQUAD.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

BOYES SPRINGS, Feb. 28.—Outfielder Chadbourne and Pitchers Pruiett, Prough and Kinney arrived in time to report for duty this morning. The boys were allowed to choose their own walking tour this morning just as long as they kept on the go. As the late arrivals had not taken part in the long jaunts previous to this morning, they were let off with an afternoon hike instead of the diamond practice. The young pitchers were given a chance to let loose with their fast ones.

Bobby Coltrin pulled some dazzling plays during the fielding practice. The former Beaver is chuck full of determination, which means that Berger will have to work to win the short patch job.

THIRTEEN REPORT AT BEES' CAMP.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

PORTERVILLE, Feb. 28. — Bill Bernhard, manager of the Bees, is not superstitious, therefore, he was not worried when he learned that thirteen men, six regulars and seven recruits, had reported today for the first real workout of the season of 1917. During the morning the men were given their uniforms and had an hour of light throwing. In the afternoon the pitching squad limbered up and the infielders were given some fast practice on the newly-completed diamond. Weather conditions were ideal this afternoon and the men had to be cautioned against overdoing it. Quinlan, Ryan, Shinn, Brief, Rath, Sheely, Kiawitter, Bayless, Downey, Crandall and Mirmayer are still to report, but all are expected by the end of the week.

SEALS MERELY TOSS THE BALL AROUND.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

SACRAMENTO, Feb. 28.—There was nothing but promiscuous tossing of the ball in the forenoon today, with a stiffer practice all around in the afternoon.

There was half an hour of batting with Machold, Oldham, O'Doul, Kallio and even Wolverton pitching, followed by brisk workouts for both infield and outfield. Merani had the call at first, along with Downs, Hollywood and Pick.

Biff Schaller, one of the numerous left-handed hitters on the Seal squad, is studying the art of smashing the ball from the other side of the plate. If Schaller can turn the trick, he will do much to relieve a situation that is unquestionably bothering Wolverton.

M'CREDIE'S MEN INDULGE IN WORK.

[BY PACIFIC CABLE AND DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

HONOLULU, Feb. 28.—Walter McCredie's well-known bunch of baseball talent enjoyed a strenuous work-out today in spite of the overdose of sunshine. A few innings of real baseball were indulged in and the regulars came through like big leaguers and smeared the ball all over the lot.

Ken Yen, the Chinese player, who was signed yesterday by McCredie, is living up to all advance expectations and should make quite a hit along the length and breadth of the Pacific Coast. He appears to be able to wield a bat as well as any of them.

The treasurer of the outfit is happy. Over $1200 was cleaned up in the initial game.

Business

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NEW YORK, Feb. 28.—Restraints imposed upon speculation by reason of the international situation became increasingly effective today, special stocks, particularly munitions and certain specialties, losses of 3 to almost 10 points. Trading of these stocks was marked by liquidation on the part of discouraged holders. Railroad issues registered the greatest declines, the old stock falling 6 points, the new shares 7½ to 10½. Brightest feature of the day's dealings was the rise of 7½ to 6. United States Steel was active than on the previous day, yielded less than any of the leaders, closing 4¼ to 4½ points. Other specialties fell 1 to 3 points, with few exceptions. Sales for related shares. Aside from the heaviness of coalers, rails participated to an appreciable extent in the day's operations. Total sales, 486,000 shares. The heaviness and bond list resulted from new issues in the international loan of United Kingdom absorbing a total sales, par value, $8,7[illegible]. United States bonds were unchanged on call.

COMPARISON OF SALES.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

NEW YORK BUREAU OF THE TIMES, Feb. 28.—Following is a comparison of today's stock and bond sales:

COMPARISON OF BOND SALES.

Total sales, February 28, 1917..... $ [illegible]
Total sales of same days previous week..... [illegible]
Total sales, January 1 to date..... [illegible]
Total sales to date, 1916..... [illegible]

COMPARISON OF STOCK SALES.

Total sales, February 28, 1917..... 486,000
Total sales, February 27, 1917..... [illegible]
Total sales, January 1 to date..... [illegible]
Total sales to date, 1916..... [illegible]

STOCK QUOTATIONS IN NEW YO

[Furnished by Logan & Bryan, Members of the New York Stock Exchange.]

NEW YORK, Feb. 28.—Closing quotations:

Allis-Chalmers	39	Kansas City Southern	23
Amalgamated Copper	76	Lackawanna Steel	70
American Beet Sugar	70	Lehigh Valley	57
American Can	46	Louisville & Nashville	118
American Car & Foundry	70	Maxwell Motor	39
American Cotton Oil	52	Mexican Petroleum	87
American Ice Securities	28	Miami Copper	28
American Locomotive	58	Missouri Pacific	23
American Smelting & Refining	85	National Lead	58
American Sugar Refining	104	New York Central	91
American Tel. & Tel.	114	Northern Pacific	97
American Tobacco	70	Pacific Mail	19
Anaconda Copper	39	Pennsylvania	52
Atchison	97	Pittsburgh Coal	39
Atlantic Coast Line	110	Pressed Steel Car	49
Baldwin Locomotive	70	Ray Consolidated	19
Baltimore & Ohio	70	Reading	87
Bethlehem Steel	70	Republic Iron & Steel	70
Canadian Pacific	151	Southern Pacific	97
Central Leather	70	Southern Railway	23
Chesapeake & Ohio	58	Studebaker	70
Chicago, Mil. & St. Paul	79	Texas Company	151
Chicago, R. I. & Pac.	23	Union Pacific	134
Colorado Fuel & Iron	39	United States Rubber	58
Crucible Steel	70	United States Steel	114
Erie	28	Utah Copper	70
General Electric	151	Western Union	87
Great Northern pfd.	114	Westinghouse Electric	58
Great Northern Ore	39	Willys-Overland	23
Inspiration Copper	49	Woolworth	114
International Harvester	114		

Business Page: Money, Stocks and Bonds—Grain—Mines—Financial Markets Abroad.

Stocks and Bonds.

CRISIS WITH GERMANY STARTS SELLING MOVE.

Restraints Imposed upon Speculation Become Increasingly Effective, with Special Issues Showing Losses of from Three to Almost Ten Points—Bond List Heavy from New Minimums in the International Group.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

NEW YORK, Feb. 28.—Restraints imposed upon speculation by reason of the international crisis became increasingly effective today, special stocks, particularly munitions and equipments, showing losses of 3 to almost 10 points. Selling of these stocks was suggestive of liquidation on the part of timid or discouraged holders. Bethlehem Steel issues registered the greatest losses, the old stock falling 9 points to 120, the new shares 7¼ to 103¾, and "rights" to the new stock declining 7⅛ to 6. United States Steel was less active than on the previous day, and yielded less than any of the popular issues, closing at a nominal net decline compared with 1 to 2 points for related shares. Aside from the heaviness of coalers, rails failed to participate to an appreciable extent in the day's operations. Total sales 455,000 shares. The heaviness of the bond list resulted from new minimums in the international group, United Kingdom showing weakness. Total sales, par value, $2,140,000. United States bonds were unchanged on call.

COMPARISON OF SALES.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

NEW YORK BUREAU OF THE TIMES, Feb. 28.—Following is comparison of today's stock and bond sales:

COMPARISON OF BOND SALES.

Total sales, February 28, 1917.....	$ 2,219,000
Sales of week last year.....	1,179,000
Sales from January 1 to date.....	120,370,000
Same period in 1916.....	120,515,000

COMPARISON OF STOCK SALES.

Total sales, February 28, 1917..	324,510 shares
Same day of week last year....	727,070 shares
Sales from January 1 to date....	29,771,791 shares
Same period in 1916.....	20,419,407 shares

FOREIGN EXCHANGE.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

NEW YORK BUREAU OF THE TIMES, Feb. 28.—Foreign exchange:

	Demand	Cable
	Pc. (Sight.)	
London	4.75¼	4.76 7-16
Paris	5.90¾	5.90¼
Berlin	60.00	60.12½
Austria	11.00	11.00
Switzerland	5.17	5.16¾
Petrograd	27.00	27.00
Peking	60.00	60.37½
Shanghai	84.25	84.37½
Holland	40.12½	40.37½
Bombay	32.25	32.37½
Calcutta	32.25	32.37½
Italy	5.00	5.00¼
Kobe	50.75	50.87½
Yokohama	50.75	50.87½
Manila	50.12½	50.25
Canada	99.25	99.50
Mexico	49.50	49.75
Copenhagen	27.00	27.10
Stockholm	29.45	29.55
Christiania	27.10	27.20

MERCANTILE PAPER.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE.]

NEW YORK, Feb. 28.—Mercantile paper, 4@4¼; sterling sixty-day bills, 4.72; commercial sixty-day bills on banks, 4.72; commercial sixty-day bills, 4.71⅝; demand, 4.75⅝; cables, 4.76 7-16; bar silver, 77; Mexican dollars, 59⅜; government bonds, steady; railroad bonds, heavy; time loans, firmer, sixty and ninety-day bills, 3⅜@4; six months, 4¼@4⅝; call money steady, high, 2½; low, 2¼; ruling rate, 2¼; last loan, 2½; closing bid, 2¼; offered at 2½.

LONDON MONEY.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

LONDON, Feb. 24.—Bar silver, 37¼d per ounce; money, 4½ per cent.

STOCK QUOTATIONS IN NEW YORK.

[Furnished by Logan & Bryan, Members New York and Boston Stock Exchanges, Van Nuys Building, Los Angeles.]

NEW YORK, Feb. 28.—Following are the closing prices, sales, and high and low quotations today:

Sales.		High.	Low.	Bid.	Asked.
100	Alaska	7¾	7¾	7¾	8
100	Alaska G. M.	11⅝	11⅝	11⅝	11¾
100	Alaska Gold M.	3	3	2¾	3
	Do. pfd.	11	11	10¾	11
100	Alaska Mex.	2⅝	2⅝	2⅝	2¾
	Do. pfd.	6¼	6¼	6	6¼
1,400	Am. Car & Fdy.	64¾	64	64¼	64¾
	Do. pfd.	118	118	118	119
1,000	Am. Can.	32¾	32¼	32¼	32⅝
	Do. pfd.	107¾	107¾	107¾	108
2,400	Am. Cotton Oil.	45¾	44¾	44¾	45
	Do. pfd.	97	97	96½	97
1,400	Am. Ice Sec.	31¾	31¼	31¼	31½
1,400	Am. Int. Corp.	41¾	41¼	41¼	41½
1,100	Am. Linseed.	31¾	31¼	31¼	31½
	Do. pfd.	84	84	83	85
9,100	Am. Locomotive.	74¾	73¾	73¾	74
	Do. pfd.	104	104	104	104½
1,000	Am. Smelting.	115	114¾	114¾	115
1,100	Am. Steel Fdy.	57¾	57¼	57¼	57½
1,100	Am. Sugar.	117¾	117¼	117¼	117½
	Do. pfd.	114	114	114	114½
1,400	Am. Tel. & Tel.	116¾	116¼	116¼	116½
1,100	Am. Tobacco.	195	194	194	195
	Do. pfd.	104	104	104	104½
1,100	Am. Woolen.	47¾	47¼	47¼	47½
	Do. pfd.	104	104	104	104½
1,100	Anaconda.	39¾	39¼	39¼	39½
1,100	Atch., T. & S. F.	100¾	100¼	100¼	100½
	Do. pfd.	94	94	94	94½
1,100	Atlantic Coast L.	118¾	118¼	118¼	118½
1,100	Baldwin Loco.	78¾	78¼	78¼	78½
1,100	Baltimore & Ohio.	79¾	79¼	79¼	79½
	Do. pfd.	84	84	84	84½
1,100	Bethlehem Steel.	120	119	119	120
	Do. pfd.	103	103	103	104
1,100	Brooklyn R. T.	84¾	84¼	84¼	84½
1,100	Butte & Sup.	39¾	39¼	39¼	39½
1,100	Cal. & Ariz.	84¾	84¼	84¼	84½
1,100	Cal. Petroleum.	24¾	24¼	24¼	24½
	Do. pfd.	74	74	74	74½
1,100	Canadian Pac.	174¾	174¼	174¼	174½
1,100	Central Leather.	104¾	104¼	104¼	104½
	Do. pfd.	114	114	114	114½
1,100	Chandler Mot.	124¾	124¼	124¼	124½
1,100	Chesapeake & Ohio.	64¾	64¼	64¼	64½
1,100	Chi., M. & St. P.	91¾	91¼	91¼	91½
	Do. pfd.	104	104	104	104½
1,100	Chi., R. I. & P.	24¾	24¼	24¼	24½
1,100	Chi., R. I. & P. pfd.	54¾	54¼	54¼	54½
1,100	Chino Copper.	47¾	47¼	47¼	47½
1,100	Colorado Fuel.	39¾	39¼	39¼	39½
1,100	Columbia Gas.	61¾	61¼	61¼	61½
1,100	Consol. Gas.	134¾	134¼	134¼	134½
1,100	Corn Products.	29¾	29¼	29¼	29½
	Do. pfd.	114	114	114	114½
1,100	Crucible Steel.	74¾	74¼	74¼	74½
	Do. pfd.	104	104	104	104½
1,100	Cuba Cane Sug.	34¾	34¼	34¼	34½
	Do. pfd.	104	104	104	104½
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Business Page: Citrus Fruits, Butter and Eggs—Current Trade—Local Produce Markets.

COMMERCIAL.

LOCAL PRODUCE MARKET.

All standard packs of ripe olives are moving out rapidly this season, and it is evident that there will be no carryover at the close of the crop year. Several large packers announce that they will be entirely sold up within the next sixty days. This season has been more satisfactory than any recent year, on account of the fact that fewer cheap "shoe button" olives were packed this year.

Brown onions dropped down another cent yesterday, when dealers lowered their quotation to 1½ cents a pound. White Globes continue firm at 2½ cents, but most of the local brokers do not anticipate higher values for some time, if at all. The East is rolling in wealth, however, and there is no reason why the producer or dealer should not get high prices for their stock, if the eastern consumer is willing to pay them.

Irrespective of the statements of politicians and busybodies about the extensive potato holdings in this state, a careful canvass of the warehouses in this city shows that there are only about 20,000 sacks of spuds on hand, one-fourth of the usual supply at this time of the year. The statement that George Shima has 2,000,000 sacks on hand in Stockton also appears absurd, as reliable reports from that section of California state that there are not over 70,000 sacks of spuds on hand in all of the warehouses of that city. The same state of affairs holds true for other parts of California.

Celery has been advanced to $1.00 and $1.50 a dozen, or $6.00 a crate. The Florida freeze raised havoc with this popular vegetable, as Los Angeles has been accustomed to get its celery from that State for her early celery. However, it will only be a short time when the early crops of the Imperial Valley will begin coming into the city. Tomatoes are down to $2.75 a crate for Mexicans, and slightly higher prices for the hothouse variety.

At yesterday morning's session of the Produce Exchange, case count and pallet eggs declined half a cent a dozen, while fresh extras remained firm at 33½ cents. Eastern markets were off from 1 to 2 cents. Cheese offerings were fairly numerous, with buyers cautious. The receipts consisted of 600 cases of eggs, 84,800 pounds of butter, 90 pounds of cheese and 297 sacks of potatoes.

HOME BUTTER AND EGG QUOTATIONS.

EGGS — Fresh extras, 23½; case count, 20½; pullets, 21.

BUTTER — Creamery extras 35 per pound; firsts, 33. The selling price to the trade is 4 cents higher than above quotations.

PRICES CURRENT.

CHEESE — California fresh, 24@25; eastern daisies, 25; twins, 27; Oregon longhorns, 28; Tillamook triplets, 25; Oregon triplets, 24; domestic Swiss block, 36; wheel, 35@45; Edelweiss Limburger, 24@31; Canada cream, 30; German breakfast, 1.00; cream brick, 30; Martin twins, 24; Martin daisies, 24; jack, 18½.

CITRUS FRUIT — Oranges, navels, 2.50@3.75; tangerines, 1.25@1.50 lug; lemons, 2.00; packed, 2.50; juice, 1.50; grapefruit, extra fancy, 2.50@2.75; fancy, 85; basket.

PRUNES AND FRUITS — Apples: Ballen, 6-tier, 1.65; 4½-tier, 1.50; 3½-tier, 1.50; Spitzenberg, 1.50@2.25; Jonathans, 1.50@2.10; Greenings, 1.50; Delicious, 2.00@2.50; Hoovers, 1.50; White Winter Pearmains, 1.40@1.75; Yellow Newtown Pippins, 1.40@1.75; Roman Beauty, 1.50@2.00; Stayman Winesaps, 1.75; Smith Cider, 1.25@1.50; bananas, 4½ per lb.; pineapples, 2.50 per box; 2.00 per ing, 6 per pound; Winter Nellis, 2.00 ing; pomegranates, 1.50 half box.

BERRIES — Cranberries, Late Myers, 8.00@9.00.

GREEN VEGETABLES — These quotations are for first-class shipping stock: Alligator pears, 5.00@10.00 doz.; artichokes, 75@1.00; asparagus, 40@50 lb.; beets, 60 doz.; Brussels sprouts, 15 lb.; cabbage, 6@6½ per lb.; red cabbage, 6½ lb.; carrots, 50 doz.; cauliflower, 1.00 dozen, 2.00 per crate, 6.00 a crate, 1.00@1.50 doz.; hothouse cucumbers, 1.50@2.75 doz.; horseradish root, 12½ lb.; onions, 30 doz.; oyster plant, 60 doz.; lettuce, 40@60 doz.; chicory, common, 40 doz., 1.85 crate; chicory, 40@50 doz.; parsnips, 50 doz.; peas, 12@15 lb.; spinach, 25 doz.; mint, 40 doz.; radishes, 25; rhubarb, Crimson Winter, 1.60; sprouts, 10 lb.; turnips, 45 doz., 2.25 sack; tomatoes, 2.75 crate.

POTATOES — Northern, 5.00; Lompoc, 4.50; local, 4.75; Oregon Burbanks, 4.75; Idaho Russets, 4.00; seed potatoes, Early Rose, 4.75 cwt.; White Rose, 4.75; sweets, 4.75@5.00 cwt., 2.50 lug.

BEANS — Per 100 lbs.) Pink, No. 1, 6.00; Lady Washington, 12.75; small white, 12.75; limas, No. 1, 12.00; Manchurian reds, 8.50; baby Mexican, 8.00; tepary, 8.00; black eyes, 6.25; garbanzos, 7.50.

ONIONS AND CHILE — Strings, 2.25; ground chile, 10; Jap chile, 22½ lb.; Mexican, 23; chile tepin, 60 lb.; pickling onions, 12½ lb.; white onions, 12½; brown onions, 10; onion sets, brown, 20; garlic, 8.

HONEY — Comb, white, 13½; water white, 14½; light amber, 12½; light, 12; extracted, amber, 8½@9; white, 8½@9; water white, 10@12; beeswax, 25 lb.

DRIED FRUIT — (25-lb. boxes, factory to the 1c less.) Apples, evaporated, 50s, choice, 9; extra choice, 10½; extra choice, 25s, 11; apricots, choice, 17; extra choice, 17½; fancy, 18; peaches, choice, 9; extra choice, 9½; fancy, 10; prunes, 20-30s, 16; 30-40s, 10½; 40-50s, 10½; 50-60s, 10; 60-70s, 9; 70-80s, 9; 80-90s, 8½; 90-100s, 8; citron, 20 lb.; lemon peel, 20; orange peel, 20; evaporated pears, 12½.

RAISINS, FIGS AND DATES — Raisins, seeded, 30 16-lb. fancy, 10; fancy, 12-oz., 8½; Not-a-seed, 48 12-oz., 7½; L.L., 2-crown, 4.65; 4-crown, 5.15; 25-lb., extra choice seeded, 2.25; 4 1-lb. Sun Maid, 4.85 case; seedless Sultanas, 10; Thompson bleached, 13½; loose muscatel, 50s, 2-crown, 4.00; 3-crown, 4.50; 4-crown, 5.00; vineyard run, 30-lb. box, 4.00. Figs, 6-oz. pkgs., 2.75; 5-layer, 1.75 box; bulk figs, 25-lb. boxes, black, 5½; white, 7½. Persian Dates, 60s, 7; Fard, 60s, 17; 12s, 20; Dromedary, 60s, 4.25.

NUTS — New almonds, fancy, IXL, 20@20 No Plus Ultra, 18½@19; papershells per doz., 1.10@1.25; Brazils, 21@26; pecans, large, 19; pecans, eastern, 8; Japanese, 8; Brazils, 21@24 walnuts, Asso, No. 1, 19@19½; Sumbo, 19½@20; budded, 18; unbleached paper shell, 18; Naturals, 14 lb.; pine, 20 lb.; hickory, 8 lb.; eastern popcorn, 6@8½; yellow popcorn, 5.

HONEY — (Per 100 lbs.) Extra fancy head, Carolina, 8.00@8.50; Patea, 6.50; fancy head, 6.75; Blue Rose, 4.50@5.50; Red Rose, 4.50; Japanese, 4.00@4.50; California, 4.00; Siam, 3.00; Chinese, 2.75@3.00; Rangoon, 2.75; brewers, 2.75@3.50; broken, 2.75@4.25; rice bran, 20.00 ton; rice middlings, 40.00 ton; rice polish, 42.00 ton.

Freedom List.

LIVE STOCK — Following are prices f.o.b. shipping point: No. 1 fed steers, 900 to 1100 lbs., 9½; second, 9; thin, 8; fed cows and heifers, 7@8; second, 6½@7; good bulls and stags, 6@6½; common bulls, 4½@5; calves, 9; light calves, 10@10½; sheep, extra, 8.00; suckling lambs, 13.00. Following quotations are based on delivered prices weighed off cars f.o.b. Los Angeles: Hogs, choice grade, 160 to 180 lbs., 10@10½; 180 to 210 lbs., 10½@11; 175 to 225 lbs., 11@11½.

POULTRY — Prices to producers: Roosters, 12; fryers, 26; roasters, 22; hens, 18; broilers, 35; turkeys, gobblers, 24; hens, 26; ducklings, 22; young geese, 14. Selling price to trade is 3 cents higher than above quotations.

MUTTON — Wethers, 55 lbs. and under, 17½; No. 2, 16½; ewes, 55 lbs. and under, 15½; No. 2, 14½.

LAMBS — Plain milk, 40 lbs. and under, 21½; No. 2, 20½.

BEEF — No. 1 steers, 14; medium steers, 13; No. 1 cows, 12½; No. 2 cows, 13; steer hindquarters, No. 1, 15½; cows, 14½; forequarters, 12½; good bulls, 11; short loins, 19½@22½; loins, No. 1, 18½; medium loins, 17½; No. 1 8-rib cut, 16½; No. 2 8-rib cut, 14½; loin butts, 16½; short chux, 12½; full chux, 12½; triangles, 12½; plates, 10; cow rounds and rumps, 13½; steer rounds and rumps, 14.

VEALS — Heavy, 18½; light, 20½.

PORK — Dressed hogs, heads on, 15½; heads off, 16½; trimmed hogs, 19; loins, fresh, 19½; do., legs, fresh, 19½; picnics, fresh, 14; bellies, 19½; leaf lard, 16½.

HAMS — (Following quotations are based on grades furnished by leading packers:) Extra fancy, 25½; fancy, 24½; medium, 22@23; skinned, extra fancy, 27; boiled, fancy, 34½; medium, boiled, 32½.

BACON — Following quotations are based on grades furnished by leading packers:) Extra fancy, 30@31; fancy, 26@26½; narrow, 24; bacon backs, 21; boneless butts, 21; picnics, 16; boned picnics, 19.

SALT AND SMOKED MEATS — D.S. bellies, 18½; D.S. clear backs, 21; D.S. fat backs, 17½; beef tongues, 32; do., boiled, 34; insides, 30; dried beef rounds, 27½.

FRESH FISH — Wholesale price per pound: Barracuda, 12; halibut, 11; rock cod, 8; sand dabs, 12½; salmon, 25; mackerel, 9; smelt, 30; tuna, 25; sea bass, 9; sockeye, 9; bonita, 6; white perch, 7; sole, 8; mussels, 5; smoked albacore, 12½; striped bass, 25; clams, 7; bulk oysters, 1.60 a hundred; quart oysters, 6.50 doz.; California oysters, 60 a hundred; lobsters, 30@32; scallops, 5.50 a gallon; crabs, 4.00 doz.; salmon trout, 25@27; yellowtail, 10; picked shrimps, 50; catfish, 20.

SUGAR — (Per 100 pounds.) Prices quoted below are for the city of Los Angeles, and are based on sacks furnished, add 10 cents for barrels, 25 cents; boxes, 50 cents; bales, 25s, 10 cents; 10s, 15 cents; 5s, 20 cents; 2s, 30 cents. All prices are net cash, less 1% cents a hundredweight if invoices are dated from the first to the fifteenth of the month, inclusive, are paid not later than the twenty-fifth of the same month, or if dated from the sixteenth to the last day of the month are paid not later than the tenth of the following month: Best granulated, 7.60; standard cane, 7.50; standard berry, 7.50.

WHEAT FLOUR — Quoted by bbls., Capitol Milling Co.: Capitol, 10.00; Aurora, 9.20; Trophy, 8.80; No. 1, 8.60; bakers' extra, 8.40; bakers' extra blend and California wheat blend, 9.00; Our Giant, 9.50; Eclipse, 8.70. Los Angeles Milling Co.: Perex, 10.00; Purity, 9.60; Morning Glory, 9.40; Four Crowns, bakers' extra, 9.60; bakers' pastry, 8.70.

GRAIN AND FEED — Per 100 lbs.: Alfalfa meal, 1.45; alfalfa molasses, 1.50; barley chop, 1.60; cracked barley meal, 1.85; recleaned barley, 2.00; corn, whole yellow, 2.00; whole white corn, 2.70; corn, cracked, 2.05; Egyptian corn, 2.00; feed oat chops, 2.60; white feed oats, 2.45; bran, 1.90; shorts, 2.40; No. 1 wheat, 100-lb. sacks, 3.30; 135-lb. sacks, 3.35; cracked wheat, 3.50; Milo maize, 2.00; oilcake meal, 3.00; rye seed, 2.25; field oats, 2.50; buckwheat, 2.50; molasses beet pulp, 1.55; steam-dried beet pulp, 1.60.

HAY — Alfalfa, 15.50@17.50 ton; barley hay, 16.00@18.00; grain oat hay, 19.00@22.00; wheat hay, 15.00@16.50; stock hay, 10.00@15.00. The above quotations are furnished by the Newmark Grain Company, and are prices f.o.b. Los Angeles, paid to producers for ordinary stock. Fancy grades bring 2.00 to 5.00 per ton more.

Oil List.

Pearl oil, Ventura or Union water white, iron bbls. and tanks ..... .09

Pearl oil in cases ..... .17

Union gas machine gasoline, drums ..... .17

Union gas machine gasoline, cases 2-5c ..... .22

Neocene oil, in cases, 2 5s ..... .25

Headlight, in cases, 2 5s ..... .19

Union headlight, in cases, 2 5s ..... .29

V. M. & P. naphtha, drums ..... .19

V. M. & P. naphtha, cases, 2 5s ..... .27

Union benzine, bulk ..... .19

Union benzine, in cases ..... .27

Red Crown, Union and Ventura gasoline, iron bbls. and tank wagons ..... .20

Red Crown, Union and Ventura gasoline, cases, 2 5s ..... .28

Distillate, iron bbls. and tank wagons ..... .10

Distillate, cases, 2 5s ..... .18

Linseed oil, raw, in bbls 1.12

Linseed oil, raw, in cases 1.13

Linseed oil, boiled, in bbls 1.10

Linseed oil, boiled, in cases 1.15

Turpentine, iron bbls ..... .65

Turpentine, 45 cases, 2 5s ..... .72

PRODUCE MARKET IN SAN FRANCISCO.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 28. — Receipts — Flour, 1576 quarters; barley, 600 centals; beans, 830 sacks; potatoes, 4230 sacks; onions, 5 sacks; hay, 66 tons; hides, 1160 in number; wine, 40,700 gallons.

Fruit — Pineapples, 2.25@2.50.

Poultry — Geese, 2.00@2.50.

Vegetables — Mushrooms, 40@1.00 box; peas, southern fancy, large, 8@7; small, 3@5; potatoes, 2.90@4.25; garlic, 5@6.

Hay — Stock hay, 18@20.

BUTTER AND EGGS; LATEST QUOTATIONS.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE.]

NEW YORK, Feb. 28. — Butter, firmer; receipts 8579; creamery, higher than extras, 41@41½; extras (92 score,) 40½; firsts, 37½@40; seconds, 35@37. Eggs, unsettled; receipts 9829; fresh gathered extras, 35; extra firsts, 34½ asked; firsts, 33@34. Cheese strong; receipts 6251 boxes; State held specials, 29½; average fancy, 29½@29¾.

CHICAGO MARKET.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE.]

CHICAGO, Feb. 28. — Butter unchanged. Eggs, lower; receipts 9650 cases; firsts, 32; ordinary firsts, 27½@28; at mark, cases included, 28@29.

SAN FRANCISCO MARKET.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 28. — Butter, fresh firsts, 35. Eggs, fresh extras, 34. Cheese, new, 19½.

LOS ANGELES CURB MARKET.

Closing prices and sales on the Los Angeles Curb as furnished by J. E. Mayo & Co.:

Stocks—	Bid.	Asked.
Arizona Eastern	.....	.....
Bonanza	.....	.....
Boston Copper	.....	.14
Big Jumbo	.....	.03½
Big Ledge	1.35	1.40
Big Ore Mines	.30	.32
Caster	.....	.03
Consolidated M. & M.	.....	.11
Coso	.....	.19
Coso Black Range	.....	.10
Gill Mines	.20½	.20¾
Gold Monster	.25	.30
Gold Ore Reserve	.....	.03
Gold Seal	.11	.13
Little Jim	.....	.14
Mohawk	.14	.14½
Mohawk Annex	.....	.03
Nelson United	.....	.04
Noble	.17	.22
Ontario Big Indian	.....	.03
Pay Rock	.04	.05
Rex Consolidated	.15	.16
Tonopah Belmont	1.00	1.05
Tonopah Extension	.03	.04
Tonopah Mining	.15	.16
Tonopah Midway	.03	.04
Tonopah Montana	.03	.04
Tonopah Rescue Eula	.03	.04
Tonopah Star	.03	.04
Tonopah Tip Top	.03	.04
Tonopah Victor	.03	.04
Tramp Consolidated	.03	.04
Tramp Extension	.03	.04
Tramp Mining	.03	.04
Tramp Rescue	.03	.04
Tramp Rescue Extension	.03	.04
Tramp Rescue Ring	.03	.04
Tramp Rescue Tramp	.03	.04
Tramp Rescue Wonder	.03	.04
Tramp Rescue Yellow Jacket	.03	.04
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Last Chapter.

GOVERNMENT TO BURY SCHRADER

Messages to Relatives are Returned Unanswered.

Healer's Death Leaves Veil of Secrecy Unrent.

Never Made Much Money, Say Federal Officials.

At the hour of closing his office last night, United States Marshal Walton had heard nothing from August Schrader's brother and sister in Wisconsin, regarding the disposal of the body. If none comes today, the body will be taken to some undertaking room, where it can be viewed by friends, and later it will be buried in a lot purchased by the government, who will pay all of the expense. Francis Schlatter was asked yesterday if he would care to officiate at the funeral services of his friend, but he declined to do so. He, however, will be allowed to view the remains.

Assistant United States District Attorney O'Connor stated yesterday that the death of Schrader will make no difference in the plans of the government, but that the trial of Schlatter will proceed as usual Monday morning.

With the death of August Schrader, at the County Hospital, yesterday morning, of pneumonia, all avenues of knowledge as to his previous history and activities were closed. His partner, Francis Schlatter, only joined his dead companion, in 1903, and knew nothing, except in a general way, about his colleague previous to that date.

Schrader left a brother, Frank Schrader, a banker of Wisconsin, but it appears that he had had but little to do with the dead man for some years. He also left two sisters, Mrs. Chris Nelson of Wisconsin, and Miss Daisy D. Schrader of Oakland, Cal.

August Schrader was of German descent and born at Ellisville, Wis., forty-nine years ago. At the age of 13 years, according to his statement, he received a dispensation to do "divine healing," and from that date until his death he was engaged in the business. The first church he started was at Green Bay, and was known as the Divine Catholic Church. Later on he disappeared from home, and lost himself in the wilds of New Mexico for months, and was supposed to be dead.

The records in Schrader's case indicate that after he was joined by Francis Schlatter, who is a Swiss, and whose real name is Jacob Kunze, the pair traveled all over the country, preaching and receiving "donations" for "blessed handkerchiefs."

It does not appear that Schrader and Schlatter made very much money in their "business," although they had many customers, for "the people that patronized them were of the poorer class not able to give much.

Divided.

WOMEN LINE UP FOR THEIR CHOICE.

KEEN CONTEST FOR HEAD OF FRIDAY MORNING CLUB.

Mrs. Andrew Stewart Lobingier is in Field as Mrs. Brainerd's Opponent and Friends of Each are Working Strongly for Their Pet Nominee for Position.

BY ALMA WHITAKER.

There is to be a keen contest for the presidency of the Friday Morning Club after all. Mrs. E. R. Brainerd, first vice-president, was for some time regarded as the logical and unopposed successor of Mrs. Seward Simons, whose second term of office concludes with this season.

Mrs. Brainerd was president of the Woman's City Club last year and was considered by her many friends as the natural president-elect of the Friday Club for next year. But now a new candidate has appeared in the field in the person of Mrs. Andrew Stewart Lobingier, in response to a letter signed by many well-known club women.

This means that the club will be divided into regular political campaign camps for the next few weeks, the friends of each of the candidates working merrily for their pet nominee. As both women are well fitted for the office and both are rich in friends and supporters, many members of the largest and most influential of Los Angeles women's clubs will find it difficult to make their final choice. Here is the letter inviting Mrs. Lobingier's candidacy and her reply:

"Mrs. Andrew Stewart Lobingier,
"No. 511 Westmoreland avenue,
"Los Angeles.

"Dear Mrs. Lobingier: We believe the president of the Friday Morning Club is looked upon by the community as representative of the ideals of its women. Recognizing your fitness for the duties of this office, we earnestly request you to allow your name to be placed in nomination for the presidency of our great organization, the Friday Morning Club. (Signed) Mrs. J. F. Forbes, Mrs. Shelley Tolhurst, Mrs. E. K. Foster, Mrs. Roy Jones, Mrs. John R. Haynes, Mrs. R. C. Craig, Mrs. H. B. Wing, Mrs. E. M. Mumford, Miss E. C. McCullough, Miss Annis Collier, Mrs. M. Burton Williamson, Mrs. W. N. Goodwin, Mrs. Jesse F. Waterman, Mrs. Anstruther Davidson, Mrs. Hancock Banning, Mrs. Henry Morris, Mrs. Sam M. Haskins, Mrs. J. Wells Smith, Mrs. Henry Martin, Mrs. H. H. Kerchkeff, Mrs. Abbey B. Morgan, Mrs. Charles H. Langmuir, Mrs. Jules Kauffman, Mrs. Mary S. Strohn and Mrs. M. S. Hallman."

In her reply, Mrs. Lobingier says: "I look upon this letter not as a petition, but as a command, a call to service; and I shall accept the nomination when offered me. I should be dull of soul if I did not appreciate the honor that is shown me by this letter, and I could have no higher ambition than to prove myself worthy of such confidence."

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Positive.

WOMAN IDENTIFIED.

Body of Party Who Shot Self at Stowell is Recognized by Apartment-house Owner as that of Transitory Guest from San Francisco.

After lying four days at Bresee Bros. morgue, the body of the woman who committed suicide last Thursday at the Stowell, has been positively identified as the remains of Mrs. Walter Turner, formerly of Chicago and San Francisco. The identification was made yesterday afternoon by Mrs. L. E. Shields, lessee of the Marcella apartments, No. 223 South Flower street.

According to Mrs. Shields, Mrs. Turner and her husband registered at the Marcella apartments, November 15, 1915, from San Francisco, where Mr. Turner was engaged in the real estate business. Mr. and Mrs. Turner left Los Angeles, Mrs. Shields stated, on the receipt of a telegram from Chicago, June 12, 1916. Since then Mrs. Shields had heard nothing of them.

Near Death.

FALL FIFTY FEET.

Two Linemen in Employ of City are Hurt When Girder of High Tower on Municipal Transmission Line Gives Way. One May Die.

Two men fell more than fifty feet yesterday when the steel girder of one of the high steel towers of the municipal power line collapsed, and one man received injuries which may prove fatal. The accident occurred near the old location of Universal City.

The men are linemen employed by the city, stringing high-voltage wire on the power line. They are D. A. Kemp of No. 514 South Flower street, and Charles Peters of No. 2311 Birnbaum avenue.

A fractured skull and possible internal injuries may prove fatal to Mr. Kemp, who was taken to the Good Samaritan Hospital at the order of John T. Martin of the department of public service. Mr. Peters was also removed to the Good Samaritan, where he was treated for body bruises.

OUT FOR COUNCIL.

Gabor Hegyi Puts Nominating Papers into Circulation.

Gabor Hegyi yesterday took out nominating petitions for the position of Councilman, and declares he will make a lively campaign for this position. He has resided for fifteen years in Los Angeles, his home being at No. 1722 North Wilton place. Previous to coming to Los Angeles he was in the real estate business in Chicago. For several years he conducted a chemical business here, but for the past decade he has been engaged in the business of subdividing and settling tracts of land. He has constantly taken a deep interest in civic affairs, and is a member of the Hollywood Board of Trade and the Chamber of Commerce. Within a short time Mr. Hegyi says he will issue a statement of his principles and policies.

Be an Early Bird.

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WILL RECOUNT BOND BALLOTS.

Official Canvass Shows Majority of Fifty-one, with Many Mistakes.

The flood-control bond issue of $4,450,000 was approved by the small majority of fifty-one votes, according to the official canvass of the ballots, which was concluded by the Board of Supervisors late yesterday afternoon. A total of 68,641 votes were cast, 34,346 being in favor of the bonds and 34,295 against them.

Unofficial returns announced the day following the election gave a majority of more than 200 in favor of the bonds. The Supervisors found a number of discrepancies, but the most important was discovered in the returns from Precinct No. 324, where the election officials had inadvertantly transposed the figures. On the tally sheet it appeared that 145 votes were cast for the bonds and forty-two against them. The reverse was true.

Owing to the fact that the majority was so small, and other legal complications, it was stated yesterday that there is no question about a recount. It will probably be started during the next few days. It is believed that no bond buyers would accept the bonds unless they are shown beyond the peradventure of doubt that everything in connection with the election was regular.

Serious.

BANKER GRAVELY ILL.

Condition of Former Assistant Cashier of Farmers' and Merchants' National Bank Causes Concern to Many Friends in Business World.

John Alton, formerly assistant cashier of the Farmers' and Merchants' National Bank, who for many years has been a resident here, is very sick at his home at Manhattan Beach. He has been in an invalid condition for several years. Some months ago he resigned his position as assistant cashier of the Farmers' and Merchants' National, which he had held for many years. Recently his illness became acute, and the physicians now hold out little hope for life over more than a day or so. His wife and three children were in attendance on him yesterday. He has many friends in Southern California, both in the business and social worlds.

MINING MAN BANKRUPT.

J. P. Taggart, a mining man of this city, filed a petition in bankruptcy in the United States District Court, yesterday, giving his liabilities as $16,969, and his assets as $4483.81.

Changed Again.

NEW TACK IN AITKEN CASE.

Postponement of the Insanity Hearing Probable.

Attorneys on Both Sides Ask it for Wife's Sake.

Love-sick Woman will Go to Some Sanatorium.

Asking that the insanity charge preferred by her husband against Mrs. Marion D. (Avis) Aitken be held in abeyance, Griffith Jones, attorney for Spottiswoode Aitken and Buron R. Fitts, attorney for Mrs. Aitken, appeared yesterday before Referee Smith of the Lunacy Commission and requested that she be allowed to go to a sanatorium for a complete rest.

According to Attorney Jones, Mrs. Aitken is willing to go to the sanatorium and there remain until she is well and strong again. Because of this he said that he was sure that Judge Reeve will give his consent and allow the insanity charge to rest for a time.

Both Mr. Jones and Mr. Fitts visited Mrs. Aitken yesterday in the psychopathic ward of the County Hospital, and stated that she appeared calm and reasonable. She realizes, they say, that she has placed herself in a false position through her repeated declarations of love for Gregory Comes, the Greek bus boy.

Still steadfast in her determination, however, never to return to her husband, she declared that she is willing to remain in the sanatorium and try for her children's sake to think out a plan by which to shape her future along lines that would make for their happiness and hers. Mr. Aitken has instructed his attorney to spare no expense to make his wife comfortable. So anxious is he to have her back in his home as his wife that he is willing to sacrifice his life's savings in order to give her time to reconsider every step she has taken that has brought upon them unhappiness.

According to Mr. Jones, yesterday was the first time that Mrs. Aitken could bring herself to realize that Comes had really jilted her. She has steadily refused to say a word against the boy, believing that he was prevented from telling the truth about their romance. When she learned there is no longer any reason for his silence, she sobbingly declared that she will try to forget she ever loved him.

In event she refuses to return to her husband and babies after she has had a long rest, and should she then be found not insane and divorce proceedings are resumed, she will be allowed to see her children as often as she pleases.

The insanity hearing was to have been today, but, under the new plan, will probably be postponed.

CHARGES DROPPED.

E. R. Smith, No. 1175 South Wall street, was released Tuesday and charges against him were dropped for lack of evidence in the statutory charge preferred against him on complaint of Mrs. Edna Farrell. She complained to the District Attorney's office Smith broke into her room one night and assaulted her. There was no evidence to corroborate her charge.

MANY WOULD GET UNDER OUR FLAG

Citizenship Applications for February Break All Past Records.

All records were broken in the local naturalization office in February in the number of petitions and declaration of intention filed by aliens desiring to become American citizens. During that period there were 138 petitions for second papers. These will be disposed of by United States District Judge A. Trippet at the May session of the naturalization court. There were 309 declarations of intention filed in the month just closed.

A dozen nationalities were represented by the applicants, but it is estimated that at lease 80 per cent. were Teutons. The rush began as soon as diplomatic relations between the United States and Germany were severed, dozens of Germans filing applications for citizenship, hoping that by doing so they would be immune from military service for the Fatherland.

If called to the colors, however, there would be no way for Germany to enforce its orders, and in time of war all proceedings in the line of naturalization are suspended.

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Fashion Show.

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of the ordinary. A platinum gray Georgette chiffon crepe is hand-embroidered in chenille.

A saxe blue crepe meteor in chemise style is banded broadly upon the skirt with filet in linen thread upon the crepe, the same trimming appearing upon the rounded collar and cuffs.

A Greek dress in white Georgette is draped above a skirt of soft black satin and finished with a silk cord girdle in black and white.

A citrus yellow suit in Fairway is broadly banded in black satin and the coat is collared and cuffed in black with black and citrus buttons used ornamentally.

A coat-dress of white jersey has broad bands of flannel in black and gray or white, around the skirt and sleeves and is fastened up the front with odd buckles of nickel.

Handsome silks from the replete stock of Yo Sans, Cinderellas, khaki kools and lovely tissues, are used throughout the Broadway windows of Coulter's and on Hill street.

lingerie and negligees form the main attraction.

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Jacoby's.

Cubist effects are the dominant note in the decorations of the windows at Jacoby Brothers. The brilliant colorings which are the key to the sports clothes of the season find expression there, in huge elongated cubes in yellow, purple, green and other shades of the present mode. Against a background of green cubist designs are shown, and a floor of deep rose color serves to enhance the garments shown upon the figures.

Among the garments most noticeable are a sumptuous evening gown of lace and satin, a model by Callot in Turkish red, with chemise of cloth of silver heavily embroidered in silken ropes of gold.

A charmingly dainty frock of La France lace in white, is called "Le printemps"—the springtime—and is overset with roses.

A dansant dress in turquoise charmeuse is garlanded in golden grapes.

A delicate pink evening gown of satin has an encrusted border of sequins in a shade exactly matching the gown.

A suit of beige colored jersey has a deep border in Chinese embroidery around coat and skirt.

A suit of tan wool tricotine has an enrichment of Japanese hand-embroidery in gold, green and red.

A suit of khaki kool is in ivory and Kelly green.

A harmonious flower scheme and decorative lights add to the charm of the windows at Jacoby's.

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The New York Cloak-Suit House.

The mecca of all who love beautiful garments for feminine wear, the windows and arcade of the New York Store, presents as usual the most ultra modes in sports wear and dressy suits and evening clothes.

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The Palais de Modes.

One window here is devoted to the popular sports wear, the colors chosen being purple and gold in khaki kool and jersey cloth. A setting of natural flowers of Spring, daffodils and violets, serves to enhance the garments shown, among which are noted:

An evening gown of chiffon in two tones of green embroidered in silver, with apple green and lavender tulle accessories.

A coat suit of acacia yellow and pearl gray, cut upon novel lines, is enriched with embroidery or silver bullion thread.

A three-piece suit of purple taffeta is embroidered in silver.

The second window section is decked with bouquets of natural peach blooms and hyacinths.

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The New Park Store.

One window of this popular house depicts a Palm Beach scene, with natural outdoor settings in the way of palms, flowers and the accessories of summer-winter sports. Here are shown the inevitable sports garments which Fashion demands the latest fabrics and the most modish lines in effect.

Another window presents the Oriental flavor without which no Fashion showing is complete. Against an indoor background are shown dressy suits afternoon gowns and several handsome evening dresses. Noticeably beautiful is a sequin gown in sapphire blue, with attached train of sapphire in peacock effect edged with silver and banded in sequins. The decollete is of tulle and silver lace.

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The J. W. Robinson Company.

Handsome merchandise, rare fabrics, late effects and rich accessories are used by the J. W. Robinson Company in honoring the Fashion Show.

The spacious windows are floored in white, with mats toning with the principal color of the merchandise in each section.

Striking is a window in black and white, featuring men's evening wear, the black of outer garments and the snowy accessories forming a beautiful effect, and the articles shown such as to interest every man who cares for correct details in dress.

A section devoted to corset display is in canary, the same dainty color pervading the settings and the many novel accessories for feminine wear and use.

A section devoted to infants' wear and that of small children is in pink and blue, with white.

An evening gown in burnt orange satin charmeuse is intricately draped with silver lace and has a bodice of the lace.

The Grand-avenue windows are devoted chiefly to the showing of handsome evening gowns in white. A sumptuous satin gown with long rounded train has an outstanding tunic of the satin from which falls an open-meshed silver lace, edged with tulle. The bodice is an incrustation of pearls and brilliants and upon the train an elaborate design is traced in pearls and brilliants. A heavy brocade in white has a short, pointed train. A rich coat of plain white satin in a heavy weave is banded and cuffed as well as collared in Hudson seal. A moire metallic cloth in platinum is rich, if severely plain.

Extreme elegance characterizes all the garments shown in these windows and the arrangement is beautiful and tasteful without straining after effect.

Rich marbles, gold furniture and an occasional object of art fulfill an obvious purpose in the arrangement throughout.

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Ganster.

The Angel Silk Store, in Mercantile place, has an interesting display of chartreuse gold satin de luxe and bluet blue Georgette in one section; oyster white khaki kool and fuchsia silk jersey cloth in another. Each is matched in color to the very shade with natural flowers. It is the unfailing custom of Monsieur Ganster to attest his love for California by using natural flowers in the windows of his silk shop.

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Myer Siegel's.

A vine-twined veranda, giving upon the out-of-doors, is the setting chosen for the display of the Fashion Show merchandise at Myer Siegel's.

From among the many beautiful things exhibited there one naturally gravitates toward the negligees, for the reason that whatever else of beauty may be shown, there is always certain to be something extraordinary in this especial line, for which the house is famed. A charming composition in French blue and pink has a petticoat in margot lace. A flowing sleeve of tulle is a novel feature, as are also the many long satin ribbons suspended from the yoke, back and front, each terminated by a tiny bouquet of baby roses and forget-me-nots. The back panel, extending almost to the floor, is finished at either side by an elaborate silken tassel. A noticeable feature upon a pink crepe meteor peignoir is a pointed collar of crepe chiffon, extending almost to the knee at the back and ending in a rich tassel of pink silk.

A French blue-and-gold crepe chiffon is distinguished by medallions in Chinese embroidery.

A lovely evening gown is of gold and silver brocade, sumptuous enough for an empress. The skirt is short and has a long, pointed train of the brocade, lined with gold chiffon. This is a Cheruit model.

A wonderful cape is of moire striped silk in new blue and brown, with a huge muffler collar—almost a second cape—of brown marabout. This is a Premet design.

Among the hats seen here is one in finest horsehair, with a bristling crown in horsehair. Another dressy black hat of lisere braid has a broad band of gold-tipped black ostrich, inset with many-colored flowers. A set consisting of hat and bag in hand-knitted worsted has floral band in cross-stitch and ornament of worsted, with outstanding thistle blossoms.

A broad-brimmed French sailor is of platinum gray crepe Georgette and is enlivened by ornaments in the shape of fruit formed from ostrich flues in watermelon red. This hat has a most novel crown in raised effect.

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Dyas & Co.

The larger windows at Dyas & Co.'s present an open-air scene as most appropriate to the sports garments therein shown. Peach and cherry blossoms form the floral decoration and old hickory furniture gives the touch of comfortable ease which is most inviting.

A smaller window is devoted to the display of men's sport clothes and outing wear. Here the refreshing blossoms of the yellow acacia are decoratively used.

Among the garments noted are a silk coat in big, oblong checks in Dutch blue and white, the rich white lining becoming, when the coat is reversed, the outside of a handsome and dressy wrap.

A khaki kool suit is in blue and gold. A charming model in white flannel, with Norfolk jacket, has a patent leather belt in black.

A dashing riding suit is of linen crash in natural color, cut after the latest mode, with breeches and long-skirted coat.

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The Unique.

Among the beautiful garments noted at The Unique are: An opera wrap in turquoise blue and silver changeant faille, the large collar and pocket cuffs heavily embroidered in silver and blue threads and set with crystal beads. The skirt of this luxurious wrap is shirred upon the very deep yoke, and the garment is lined throughout with flesh-colored chiffon crepe.

A dashing evening gown of blue tulle is banded in gold bullion threads embroidery on black lace.

An old gold metallic cloth frock dansant is hung in straight lines above a petticoat of gold lace and has a huge gold rose posed at the corsage line in front.

A stunning little promenade suit is made in three-piece effect, in fine black satin with an extremely full draped skirt, and a short, round jacket of white French tricotine embroidered in braid and lined throughout with black satin.

A rich afternoon dress with coat is of black taffeta, the skirt panels of the rather high-waisted coat formed from spider-web embroidery in black and gray tightly twisted silk thread. Black chiffon sleeves finish the dress and the coat is paneled in black braid embroidery.

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Nathan Bents.

With the craze for all things oriental, the footsteps of the habitue of fashion's marts naturally turn toward that oriental shop supreme where rare embroideries, luxurious oriental jewels and handsome ornaments are always to be found. The larger window there is centered by a life-size figure clad in a full length antique Mandarin coat of blue heavily embroidered in superbly rich designs. The entire window is used for the exhibition of oriental embroideries, in the mellow tints so longing to the genuine antiques from the Orient. Oriental necklaces, unique ornaments such as are seldom seen in our country, and embroidered silks and satins are illuminated by a wonderful oriental lamp. The smaller window contains af gold bronze Buddha—one of the great collections of Buddhist images and shrines possessed by the house. A wondrous lighting effect adds charm to this interesting scene.

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Vogue Shop.

A veil of natural flowers is suspended before the glass of each window of the Vogue Shop, at the corner of Eighth and Broadway, the garments viewed through this lovely floral "mist" seeming even more lovely than they really are, which is saying much.

An oriental wrap in the full cape cash cut, with that loose Chinese vent and broad bands of emproidery, in the blazonry of jewel tints, commingled with the sunrise of some far tropic land, where gorgeous plumages flitting through the amber air would dazzle one to blindness were it not for the softening film of that which artists call "atmosphere." And gleaming from the background of these wondrously wrought bands a poignant color is still further ensnare the sense of the beholder. The collar, one of those huggy things which seems to caress the fair neck of its wearer, and the sleeves like long wraiths of chiffon falling to the finger tips.

An adorable little suit of blue satin in an extremely soft weave has a jaunty coat which boasts a very broad girdle wrapping twice around the waist and falling in short ends at the front. This is a model directly from Paris—despite the war.

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The Bon Ton.

A porch and windows, opening outward, lend the effect of a garden scene to the windows of the Bon Ton, where are shown garments for practical use as well as for dress occasions.

Vines and flowers, chiefly in pink, form a pretty setting for the garments and merchandise. Gowns, suits, coats, blouses and millinery are shown, together with the dainty accessories of feminine attire.

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McElvilly's.

Vines and natural flowers—jonquils and acacia blossoms, speak of spring, in the windows of McElvilly's, where an interesting showing of the latest and most popular garments of the season are seen.

A wide range of moderately priced garments, distinctive in style and conservative in mode, are a feature of this house which makes a point of catering to all tastes from the most elaborate to the simplest in all lines represented.

Suits, afternoon gowns, frocks dansant, coats and the more elaborate wraps, as well as blouses, in all styles are shown in all the materials required by the mode.

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Harris & Frank.

Imported suits, distinguished outdoor garments and daytime dresses are characteristically featured in the windows of Harris & Frank.

A stunning silk sports coat in metallic green has an odd girdle drawn through nickel buckles at either side of the front.

A frock suit of blue French taffeta has a beige collar of bengaline.

A pattern burella cloth suit is in shades of violet in a medium check.

A suit in the new barrel effect of gold burella cloth in a mixture of gold and white, with collar and cuffs in plain gold cloth.

A blue French tricotine, has a short jacket over a broad sash of heavy silk of tartan, the same silk appearing upon the over collar and a bare touch of it on the cuffs.

A beige tricotine has a short box plaited jacket, the plaits rounded and finished with short silk fringe of beige.

There are stunning separate skirts of Shadow Lawn cloth—a very heavy silken crepe—in stripes in rich, lovely color combinations, and also skirts and suits in beautiful satin glace—a new material of the present season. Each bears the unmistakable something which speaks of high-class products tastefully selected.

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Ville de Paris.

A background of purple and white in the large squares which are a distinguishing feature of the season's modes in many kinds of goods, has been chosen for the windows of the Ville de Paris. At the end of each window section a pillar of purple velours is used to uphold an allegorical figure representing the spirit of spring. The plastic figure holds in either hand a sheaf of poppies effulgent with reflected light. The windows are centered by an aquarium filled with living gold fish and extending along the background is a flower box in vogue design filled with growing marigolds. The floors represent white marble, forming a dainty offset for the garments and merchandise.

Among the handsome garments noted are a three-piece suit in navy taffeta, the coat having a plisse skirt of Georgette embroidered in oriental colors, with collar and cuffs of the embroidery with a narrow rim of orange along both collar and cuffs, and at the vest.

A superb evening gown of black silk net has rich embroidery of silver bullion thread, with a silver thread edging the tunic of black tulle.

An elaborate evening gown of pale

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When Peace Redraws the Map of Europe

AFTER the war, what changes will be made in Europe's map? What effective guarantees of international security will be given? Above all, what transformations will be wrought in governments by the millions of men who are standing the brunt of the gruelling trench struggle—and thinking things over in the light of the great awakening?

What will happen then to the movement for world peace? To secret diplomacy which plays for stakes unguessed and unapproved by the democracy? To the questions of disarmament and militarism? To the demand that governments be run for the people rather than for the politicians? Such problems as these are bound to be in the arena when the present military issues are solved.

You as a man or woman of intelligence will want to appreciate the significance of the happenings in the coming days of peace and reconstruction. For this you will need to be well grounded in the story of the past.

You will want to know the history of the peace movement from the time when peace was a negative political condition which existed between wars until today, when millions are fighting to make it something as definite as government or commerce. You will want to know the case of "peace versus war," the argument for and against "militarism," to learn what was agreed upon at the two Hague peace conferences. You will want to know more about the "open-door policy," the limitation of "disarmament," "neutral states," "buffer zones," "favored-nation clauses."

You will need to be acquainted with that baffling subject—diplomacy; to understand its changes from the days when "the best way to deceive was to tell the truth" till modern conditions when the telegraph, cable and wireless make ambassadors constantly responsive to the home capital.

These and similar subjects you should know to have the right perspective on the coming situation not only with regard to foreign nations, but the United States as well. For the reconstruction period will affect our own government to an extent not now foreseen. But unquestionably you should get your information not from men aflame with patriotic fervor or partisan bias, but from authorities who wrote before the complexities of the war warped their judgments.

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SHE KEPT ON THEIR TRAIL.

Two Men Jailed Who Failed to Shake Woman Off.

Courageous Housewife Sticks to Burglars' Path.

Uses Phone When Knocked off Automobile.

Mrs. Lillian Peri Brazil had the satisfaction yesterday of witnessing the conviction of Oscar Rosenberg and Ben Stone on charges of burglary in the second degree. She witnessed the theft, was responsible for the men's arrest, and was the chief witness in their prosecution.

Several months ago Mrs. Brazil was in the rear of her home in Adon when she was alarmed by seeing someone in the house. Looking through a window, she saw two men search her bed and secure money hidden there.

She ran to the front of the house when the two men dashed out and leaped into a waiting automobile. Mrs. Brazil jumped on the running board of the machine while it was in motion. The men tried to push her off but she held on and then one struck her in the face.

This caused her to fall, but she retained presence of mind enough to take the number of the car. Next she ran a mile to a telephone booth and notified the Constable of Newhall to arrest two men in the machine whose number she gave. The Constable was busy at the time, and the message was given to James Brown, a garage man, who arrested Rosenberg and Stone and held them until deputy Sheriffs arrived.

Saturday.

BIG NEW STORE ABOUT TO OPEN.

ARRANGES TO SELL GARMENTS IN UNUSUAL MANNER.

It has no Counters, no Visible Fitting Rooms and Separate Booths Where Clients Can Select Their Gowns—Mascot is Many Times Prize Winner.

Reich & Llevre will open a new shop on the fourth floor of the Isaacs Building, No. 741 South Broadway, day after tomorrow.

"It was with deepest regret," said Mr. Llevre "that we found ourselves unable to join the others in the Fashion Show opening; but it was impossible to do so."

The spacious fourth floor of the building has been transformed into a great store, and a store finished, furnished and conducted upon entirely novel lines.

No counters, no visible fitting-rooms, generous spaces, ample natural light, and an arrangement and finish unlike anything ever seen in Los Angeles, and probably in the entire West, characterizes the new store.

The impression, upon entering the place, is one of airiness and yet without the cold effect which is too often the case when much space is given. The panelings, rugs and upholstering are in a deep, rich, warm sapphire blue, which offsets the ivory whiteness of walls and woodwork.

Among the many novel arrangements are the concealed fitting-rooms. The separate booths where ladies may sit in undisturbed seclusion to choose their garments, is a highly-appreciated feature of this novel store. Each booth is equipped with a wheeled stand for the repose and removal of garments—without the annoying interruption of attendants for the purpose. Charming latticed, mirrored, French doors give upon the stockrooms from each booth.

Without doubt the most novel feature of all is the lighting. Old ivory brackets, touched with black and gold, are placed above the cornices and at the top of classic pillars, for the apparent purpose of holding ferns and flowers, but theirs is a double purpose, for—press a button and these vases and bowls become effulgent. Fittings and working conveniences are the result of personal experience upon the part of the proprietor, who, in equipping and managing his eight stores throughout Northern California, has learned the needs and the wants of such establishments.

The garments carried by this house are confined to suits, coats and wraps, afternoon frocks, evening dresses and government tested navy serge dresses in misses and women's sizes. The range of styles and prices is wide, covering everything from the most inexpensive to the more than moderately-priced evening clothes, such as milady would require for occasions of state.

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Dogged.

SHE KEPT ON THEIR TRAIL.

Two Men Jailed Who Failed to Shake Woman Off.

Courageous Housewife Sticks to Burglars' Path.

Uses Phone When Knocked off Automobile.

Mrs. Lillian Perl Brazil had the satisfaction yesterday of witnessing the conviction of Oscar Rosenberg and Ben Stone on charges of burglary in the second degree. She witnessed the theft, was responsible for the men's arrest, and was the chief witness in their prosecution.

Several months ago Mrs. Brazil was in the rear of her home in Acton when she was alarmed by seeing someone in the house. Looking through a window, she saw two men search her bed and secure money hidden there.

She ran to the front of the house when the two men dashed out and leaped into a waiting automobile. Mrs. Brazil jumped on the running board of the machine while it was in motion. The men tried to push her off but she held on and then one struck her in the face.

This caused her to fall, but she retained presence of mind enough to take the number of the car. Next she ran a mile to a telephone booth and notified the Constable of Newhall to arrest two men in the machine whose number she gave. The Constable was busy at the time, and the message was given to James Brown, a garage man, who arrested Rosenberg and Stone and held them until deputy Sheriffs arrived.

Saturday.

BIG NEW STORE ABOUT TO OPEN.

ARRANGES TO SELL GARMENTS IN UNUSUAL MANNER.

It has no Counters, no Visible Fitting Rooms and Separate Booths Where Clients Can Select Their Gowns—Mascot is Many Times Prize Winner.

Reich & Lievre will open a new shop on the fourth floor of the Isaacs building, No. 741 South Broadway, day after tomorrow.

"It was with deepest regret," said Mr. Lievre "that we found ourselves unable to join the others in the Fashion Show opening; but it was impossible to do so."

The spacious fourth floor of the building has been transformed into a great store, and a store finished, furnished and conducted upon entirely novel lines.

No counters, no visible fitting-rooms, generous spaces, ample natural light, and an arrangement and finish unlike anything ever seen in Los Angeles, and probably in the entire West, characterizes the new store.

The impression, upon entering the place, is one of airiness and yet without the cold effect which is too often the case when much space is given. The panelings, rugs and upholstering are in a deep, rich, warm sapphire blue, which offsets the ivory whiteness of walls and woodwork.

Among the many novel arrangements are the concealed fitting-rooms. The separate booths where ladies may sit in undisturbed seclusion to choose their garments, is a highly-appreciated feature of this novel store. Each booth is equipped with a wheeled stand for the reception and removal of garments—without the annoying interruption of attendants for the purpose. Charming latticed, mirrored, French doors give upon the stockrooms from each booth.

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SOLVES CITY HALL MYSTERY.

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The grim mystery of the City Hall, centering about the whereabouts of the sprinkling contract documents, a mystery which, according to reports, was like to cause a grand jury inquiry and land several politicians, etc., in the penitentiary, was solved yesterday.

The documents were found.

Hoarse whisper: "Where where they?"

Muttered reply: "In Earl Rogers's safe."

[Ed. Note: Mr. Rogers was the head of a committee of citizens who investigated the matter at the time of the sprinkling contract scandal. All the documents were placed in his safe at that time and there they remained. Yesterday they were taken back to the City Hall with solemn ceremony.]

LOUIS GRAVEURE.

The Great Belgian Musician and Artist Visiting Los Angeles—A Mystery Lived Down.

BY JEANNE REDMAN.

Louis Graveure, on concert tour for the first time in the United States, will sing tonight at Trinity Auditorium. To begin a concert tour with his identity shrouded in mystery, and with a story of his incognito so stirring that it threatened to obscure the real purpose of his tour, and to arrive at the end of the trail with the story dimmed in detail and the only matter of importance his great voice and superior quality of art, has been Graveure's brief and meteoric experience of America.

A Belgian by birth, Graveure began his public life as a painter. He became well known in the art life of Paris and Brussels before it occurred to him that he was the possessor of a wonderful baritone voice. He is now recognized, after his debut in New York last season, as one of the greatest baritones that we have heard, but he has not forsaken his painting or his sculpture. He still finds time to turn out models which critics think highly of, but his star points to music more definitely than to the others arts, and the concert stage is the richer.

It was when Andreas Dippel found his light operas were not going so well as he expected that the newspapers got out a story about a complication of identity between a member of Dippel's troupe and Graveure. Each was said to be the other, and strange and sinister reasons were given for the change in name. One man went abroad and the other received the farewells; one signed a contract to sing and the public went to hear the other. There was a sensation as to the whyfors of the Jekyll-and-Hyde case, when Louis Graveure started out West on his first concert tour in this country. After that nobody cared who he was and they even forgot to inquire. He could thrill them and inspire them and they have shown their appreciation by flocking to hear him.

The artist has lived down the mystery and we are ready to accept him on this own terms of being a solo baritone, earnestly endeavoring to give his best to the country of his enthusiasm. I talked to Graveure last evening at the Alexandria and decided that as a nation we are, contrary to general opinion, too humble. Graveure says that this is the most musical country in the world. "There is nothing in Europe to compare with the widespread love of music which the people of America feel. There is no city in Europe of equal size which would pay to hear the music that Los Angeles hears," he said, "and the future of this nation, musically, is simply stupendous." And not only the future, either. He thinks that just as we are, Americans are the most appreciative people he has ever sung before, and he should know, for he has sung in all the capitals of Europe.

"There are a few cities in Europe where good music gets a hearing," the singer said, "but in America there are hundreds. And it is not true that we sing down to the American public. I have never offered them anything but my very best in programmes and I have never had reason to regret it. Europeans make a mistake when they come over here and sing second-rate melodies, believing that nothing else will be appreciated. There is newer and better music being sung and played in concert, now in America than anywhere else on earth."

Graveure will sing songs tonight from the modern French and German, Hugo Wolf and Chusson back to Schumann and Brahms, including songs of the latter two which never have been given in Los Angeles. A varied and inclusive programme is planned and one which will show the singer to the best possible advantage. After one concert here Graveure returns to San Francisco, where he was received with such a welcome that he has arranged for a return engagement.

Complaint.

LAND INVOLVED.

Charge of Obtaining Money Under False Pretenses Made Against Realty Dealer, Who is Said not to have been Agent of the Property.

J. A. Murray, a broker, was arrested yesterday in Sunland by deputy sheriffs on a charge of having obtained money under false pretenses. He was arraigned in Justice Summerfield's court, and his preliminary examination fixed for March 5.

He is charged with having represented to James F. Geary he was employed as agent for Robert E. Murray. Certain properties in Kern county were described as subject to his disposal, and on that representation, Geary says, he traded some local real estate and cash for the Kern county property.

Later, Geary says, he learned Murray was not agent for the property and could show no legal title to the land he transferred. The transaction is alleged to have occurred April 18, 1916. Geary lives at No. 1518 South St. Andrews place.

Fashion Show.

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low tulle has bodice of gold embroidered lace.

A lovely rose-leaf pink silk is brocaded in a silver leaf design forming a stripe used around the skirt. An old blue velvet ribbon girdle adds charm to this lovely dress.

An afternoon dress of white Georgette is embroidered in flowers of jet and chenille, and the tunic is trimmed with jet balls.

A pond lily parasol set is noticeable here, the hat of leghorn having the brim overhung in white Georgette, with pond lily embroidery on the crown. Crepe Georgette over taffeta covers the parasol, which when open forms a pond lily, the petals hand-painted and outlined in gold-thread embroidery.

A hat of white and cream imported organdy, with shirred crepe brim, has two lacquered flowers in pastel shades posed at the front.

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Hale's.

Peach blossoms are the flowers that bloom in the windows at Hale's. Suits, sports coats and skirts, hats, silks and the accessories appropriate for the season's wear are shown there.

Old gold and Chinese blue are the colors principally represented.

A striking suit in Chinese blue having a coat in mandarin style, heavily embroidered, holds the attention.

A suit in gold is embroidered in white. There are several handsome examples in the ever popular khaki kool in modish colors, while throughout the windows are shown the practical garments, silks and yardage as well as accessories for which Hale's has an enviable reputation. Especially featured are moderate-priced garments and materials which this house makes a point of keeping in stock.

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Lane-Thayer.

Without attiring themselves for the occasion, save by means of the goods and garments usually featured, Lane-Thayer's are continuing the sale which has been in progress for some time and are making an especial attraction in the way of prices which will help to lower the "high cost of living."

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The Obrikat Fur Company.

The Obrikat Fur Company, on Hill street at Third, has an interesting exhibition of summer furs in the popular white fox, in ermines, both tailed and tailless, in natural gray squirrel, and natural lynx, which together with all the short-haired furs will be much used during the coming summer, according to the edict of fashion.

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Feagans & Co.

In deference to the prevalent fad in the revival of French blue and pink, the windows of Feagans & Co. are draped and floored in these two charming colors. Expositions of rare gems, especially featuring pearls, of which Feagans & Co. have a wonderfully fine collection, and diamonds in unusual settings are shown in the larger sections, the smaller ones devoted to fine stationery, watches and exquisite French enamels in the colors harmonizing with the present modes in dress. Late novelties in the way of personal accessories are also shown, together with some examples of unique silver.

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Nordlinger's.

A wonderfully beautiful conception is that in effect in Nordlinger's windows, where the public always looks for novelty. Shadow Lawn green and silver is the color scheme in one window, and cerise and black in the other; but it is to the exquisite details that the windows owe their chief effect. A "lake" of mirror reflects the settings and the treasures shown. Small handmade figurines—Arabs—in their native dress, present in various forms the gems, here upon a long pillow of black velvet, there upon a circular cushion elsewhere upon an upraised stand of ebony. Swivelled mirror stands are used to frame paintings representing Arabian indigs doting upon their jewel treasures, and similar treasures are seen in the foreground, where a wondrous collections of diamonds, pearls and other gems are shown. As a background, in one window, shirred draperies of silver and green chiffon over gold. The settings, while lovely in themselves, serve to enhance the beauty of the articles exhibited.

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Brock & Co.

In the south window at Brock & Co.'s, a wonderful collection of silver, old Dutch and modern, is shown against a handsome background, consisting of a broad tapestry representing a Dutch scene, framed in green velours. Side draperies of olive-green brocade frame the windows. In the window of rare gems, diamonds, pearls, black opals and unique sapphires and emeralds, for which this house is noted, draperies of olive green are used to frame the broad expanse and cases in olive-green velours house the jewels. In each window freshly-cut flowers of the springtime—yellow—still further add to the effect. Beautiful lighting from above and at either side the glass, add radiance to the scene at night.

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Montgomery Bros.

The color plan of the north window at Montgomery Bros. is of pearl gray. Jewel cases of a novel shape in Alice blue are used to enhance the exhibition of jewelry in this section, where a great variety of wrist watches is shown. The center window, draped in black velours, is devoted to the showing of diamond pieces, each upon an easel-shaped frame. The effect is extremely handsome, each stone sparkling like a drop of dew in the sunshine. Old rose is used in one section for the display of sterling silver table wares and the dainty personal silver used by milady upon her dressing table. Peach blossoms, fresh from the trees, are used in profusion throughout the windows, which are of exceptional beauty.

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The Reedcraft Shop.

A fashionable ladies' boudoir occupies the window of the Reedcraft shop, each article being in the world-famous reedcraft—and each such as any lady would be proud to own. From the chaise longue, with its upholstery in pompadour pink tapestry, to the footstool upon which milady's tiny feet may rest while she combs her hair before the mirrored dressing table, to the bed and chairs in graceful, sweeping lines, every article is of finely designed and carefully wrought reedcraft.

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Colburn's.

With the craze for summer furs the windows of Colburn's naturally attract much attention. Centering the south window are two big, wise owls, mounted by the house. These birds seem to admonish women to buy furs while the prices remain unaviated, and especially foxes, white, brown and silver. It is said that probably never again will rare furs be so reasonable in price as now, since Europe cannot at present buy. An extensive collection of Russian sables is seen in these windows and also some fine examples of ermine. Mounted heads for which this house is famed, and well-set-up animal skins are shown. The scene is presided over by two African Stanley cranes in (platinum) silver—beauteous birds, which look as natural as if alive.

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The Nadia Shop.

One of the richest gowns on Broadway is shown in the Nadia windows. An evening dress of extremely heavy brocade, in an exquisite peach blow tint, it is, brocaded in silver magnolia blossoms. The decolletage, in cloth of silver, is draped across the shoulders in peach blow tulle and has a design embroidered in beads of silver and the peach blow tint. The skirt is in the Turkish draped effect and the bodice is confined slightly at the waistline by a cord of silver with a heavy bullion tassel. A reception dress in turquoise satin de luxe has a tunic of violet tulle enriched with silk thread embroidery in natural floral tints draped over gold tissue. An old blue satin meteor opera wrap is draped in black chiffon, shirred upon a shoulder yoke heavily wrought in jet bugles and paillettes in peacock blue. Flesh-colored satin is used to line this sumptuous cloak. An interior setting, representing a richly-furnished room, serves to, from these handsome garments.

AS TICKET SCALPERS.

Alleged Sale of New York Tickets Leads to Arrest of Two Men.

Ralph E. Walker, an employee of a Broadway furniture company, and William Wiltsie, connected with a local transportation company, were taken into custody by Federal officials, yesterday, on the charge of dealing in railway transportation and passes in violation of the interstate commerce law.

It is claimed that Walker, who is an ex-employee of the Salt Lake, disposed of a pass to New York, over that line, to G. A. Lans, who is now in that city, through Wiltsie. A telegraphic request was sent East yesterday, asking for the arrest of Lans.

Walker was picked up at the noon lunch hour yesterday by Deputy United States Marshal Bassett, who asked Walker if he could get him a pass to New York. It is alleged that Walker referred Bassett to Wiltsie as the man who could furnish it. The claim is made that both men have been engaged for some time in scalping tickets, etc.

COMPLY WITH LAST REQUEST.

Body of Mrs. Longstreet to Rest with that of Her Son Here.

In conformity with the last request of Mrs. Lucy S. Longstreet, who died in New York last Friday evening at the age of 76, her body is being brought to Los Angeles to rest beside that of her son and a sister, who were buried in Rosedale Cemetery.

The body will arrive Saturday, and services will be held in the afternoon at St. Paul's Pro-Cathedral.

Mrs. Longstreet for many years was a resident of Los Angeles, and was prominently known here. She laid out Palm drive and Longstreet court, and was one of the first women here to actively engage in realty projects. After the death of her son she went to New York to reside, but her last expressed wish was that her body be brought here for its final rest.

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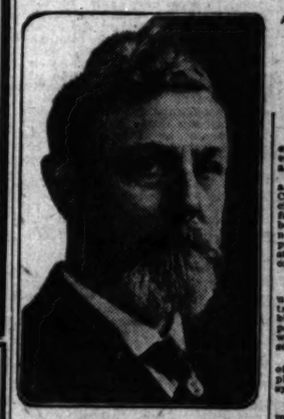

"Poor Nerves" writes: "Is it possible to find a medicine which by its tonic or nutritive powers will bring the glow of health and ambition back to a man who has everything in the world but health and happiness? I am dull, forgetful, despondent, weak, trembling, short of breath and suffer more or less with pain in spine and back of head."

Answer: Your condition indicates the need of a strong, painless tonic, effective to restore nerve equilibrium, which in turn fortifies and strengthens the organs of nutrition, thus vitalizing the blood and promoting new cell and tissue to take care of the waste forces. Three-grain cadomene tablets, packed in sealed tubes with full directions, are recommended in all such cases.

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Mrs. "Annie R." writes: "My husband is surely afflicted with some kidney disease. He has become weak and suffers with headache and pains in his back and groins. Pains are like rheumatism. His ankles swell and his feet seem to be tired all the time. Some days he has chills and no appetite. Pindas prescribe."

Answer: The symptoms indicate derangement of kidneys and should not be neglected. I would advise Dainwort tablets, a compound well suited to such cases. Obtain in sealed tubes with directions for home use.

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C. J. R. asks: "Can I safely reduce my weight, and how?"

Answer: Go to a well-stocked druggist and get five-grain arbolene tablets in sealed tube with complete directions. Take as directed, and you should soon feel the relief you desire. Many of my patients report quick results without any harmful action whatever.

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Miss Adele writes: "My hair is coming out, my scalp itches and dandruff is much annoying, and I want something to cure these conditions."

Answer: For hair and scalp troubles I have never found anything to equal the beneficial results of a thorough treatment of plain yellow mineyl. It is cooling, cleansing and invigorating, and thousands now use it regularly as a hair and scalp tonic.

The Doctor's Advice

By Dr. Lewis Baker

The questions answered below are general in character, the symptoms or diseases are given and the answers will apply in any case of similar nature.

Those wishing further advice, free, may address Dr. Lewis Baker, College Bldg., College and Mound streets, Dayton, Ohio, enclosing self-addressed stamped envelope for reply. Full name and address must be given, but only initials or fictitious names will be used in my answers. The prescriptions can be filled at any well-stocked drug store. Any druggist can order of wholesaler.

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"Vanity" writes: "Two years ago I used your great prescription for kidney trouble and it wholly overcame the trouble. I want medicine now for constipation and impure blood, for I am a sight, with pimples that make big lumps sores."

Answer: I would advise the taking of three-grain sulphert tablets (not sulphur) for several months to purify the system.

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"Business" asks: "What is a good medicine to take for chronic liver disorder? I have tried calomel, but it sickens me. Am bilious, constipated, dyspeptic, and have belching, bloating and sour risings after eating my meals. Also get so sleepy can hardly hold my eyes open."

Answer: Calomel is too drastic for any wise person to make use of. I have found the formula for carded tablets particularly good for such ailments, especially where of long standing. These tablets are in sealed packages with full directions at drug stores.

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Miss J. asks: "Tell me, please, how I can increase my weight and blood, loses my color. I seem to be anaemic, weak and tired all the time."

Answer: Begin taking three-grain hypophosphite tablets after each meal, and soon you will feel your strength returning and gradually your weight and color will improve. This is the most effective remedy if persistently used.

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"Ray" writes: "Can a sufferer from bronchial trouble be relieved? Doctors do not seem to help me. What would you suggest?"

Answer: To relieve chronic cold, sore throat bronchitis, I would advise the use of concentrated essence mentho-laxene. Purchase this at any drug store in 2½-oz. packages and mix according to directions given on bottle and you will very shortly be relieved of all bronchial trouble. This will not only relieve, but will correct, and is very pleasant to take.

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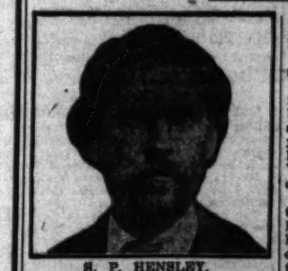
J. K. C. writes: "I have a very stubborn chest cold and cough dreadfully when I arise each morning. Please advise treatment?"

Answer: Get a 2½-oz. bottle of essence Mentho-Laxene and use as per directions. The formula relieves congestion or pain. I know nothing so good as plain-o-laxene, applied locally once or more daily. It is a penetrating, soothing, healing ointment noted for the quick relief it gives in such cases.

NOTE: For many years Dr. Baker has been giving free advice and prescriptions to millions of people through the press columns, and doubtless has helped in relieving illness and distress more than any single individual. Of the writing he has done, now get it regularly as a hair and scalp tonic. thousands have written him expressions of gratitude and confidence.

A Wonderful Discovery

Many More In California Are Willing To Testify



S. P. HENSLEY.

Many local people are glad to testify to the good results obtained from Anuric, the discovery of Dr. Pierce of the Invalids' Hotel, Buffalo, N. Y., for kidney and bladder disorders, backache, rheumatism and all uric acid troubles. Anuric is many times more potent than lithia, dissolving uric acid almost as hot water melts sugar. This is what Mr. S. P. Hensley of Madera, Calif., has to say about it: "I recommend Anuric very highly. I suffered for the last three years with catarrh of the bladder, having tried every remedy I heard of but without relief. Finally, I saw Dr. Pierce's advertisement of Anuric in the paper, and, 'like a drowning man grasping at a straw,' I thought I would try it also, which I did with great success, as it relieved me almost immediately—before I had taken all of the trial package—and having great confidence in the remedy I immediately sent to the drug store and bought a regular size package. I can say to all who suffer from uric acid troubles or any disease of the kidneys, try Anuric and suffer no longer."

"I have great faith in Dr. Pierce's medicines."

Anuric, double strength, is put up in convenient tablet form and can be procured at almost any progressive drug store. If not obtainable at your dealers send 50 cents to Dr. Pierce, Invalid's Hotel, Buffalo, N. Y., and he will mail you a package of Anuric.

Dr. Pierce's reputation is back of this new medicine and you know that his Pleasant Pellets for the liver and his Favorite Prescription for the ills of women have had a splendid reputation for the past fifty years.

Mrs. Hettie Lea of 1005 Georgia St., Los Angeles, Cal., says: "Dr. Pierce's Anuric gave me such prompt relief from the pain and handicap of kidney trouble that it is both a duty and a pleasure to testify to its extremely great value as a solvent of uric acid, the cause of my illness. It was easy to take and its effect could be noticed at once. I consider it was a lucky day for me when I first saw the advertisement of Anuric in the newspaper, for otherwise I might never have heard of such a splendid medicine."

Mrs. E. Pollard of 1427 Griffith Ave., Los Angeles, Calif., says: "Dr. Pierce's Anuric was tried by me as a remedy for uric acid poisoning, and I am glad to report that it afforded me relief right from the start, and I felt a general toning up of the system as well. After taking Anuric and giving it a thorough test, I am able to testify to its efficacy and the benefits resulting from driving uric acid out of the body."

February.

SHORT MONTH THE BIGGEST.

Big Increase is Shown Clear Along the Line.

Building Operations Larger than for Two Years.

Bank Clearings and Trading Reflect Prosperity.

The valuation of building operations for January and February all but tipped the $6,000,000 mark, according to the official report of the city building department, issued yesterday afternoon. The exact total for the two months was $5,931,753, as compared with $2,655,102 for the corresponding period of 1916, the increase amounting to $3,276,651.

The official statistics also show a gain in the number of permits granted for building, the total for January and February, 1917, being 1100, and for the same months a year ago, 1184. The figures for February alone were 533 permits and $1,232,518 valuation.

BANKS ARE BUSY.

Bank clearings during the month exceeded by a large figure the clearings for the corresponding month last year and the two previous years before that. Notwithstanding the fact that February is the shortest month in the year, and in the face of a serious international situation that may spell war, bank clearings last month totaled the handsome sum of $118,240,788. This amount was $28,000,000 greater than the clearings for February, 1916, and over $40,000,000 greater than the bank transactions for February, 1915.

A new high record for daily clearings in Los Angeles was established on February 14, when a total of over $8,000,000 changed hands through the medium of the local clearing-house association. Never in the history of the city have business conditions presented a more assuring aspect and bankers of Los Angeles are a unit in declaring that the prosperity being enjoyed here now is but the beginning of a real business boom.

INCREASE IN COMMERCE.

An increase of nearly 100 per cent. in both exports and imports for the month just closed, is shown in the February report of the Collector of Customs.

The exports for February are given as $406,561, compared with $224,343 for the corresponding month of 1916; the imports as $462,-249, compared with $296,405 for February, 1916.

The collections of the customs district, however, show a decrease; the amount for February, 1916, being $30,117.17; for the month just closed, $22,911.05.

The collections of the various ports follow: Los Angeles, $20,-971.78; San Diego, $1697.89; Calexico, $164.31; Tia Juana, $85.06; Campo, $1.50 and Andrade, $10.51.

Court Decides.

THEY GET JUDGMENT.

Trio Who were Injured when Their Automobile Collided with a Sprinkling Wagon Left Standing in Street Recover Damages.

When the automobile driven by H. V. Owens and containing his wife, Lottie M. Owens, and Mike Catalina, crashed into one of the sprinkling wagons of the Metropolitan Construction Company, one foggy night, Mrs. Owens was catapulted through the glass windshield, Mr. Owens and Mike Catalina were less seriously injured, and the automobile was wrecked.

The Owenses claimed that the sprinkling wagon was left standing on the side of the street without a danger signal to warn passing vehicles. Yesterday Judge Taft, who tried the suits brought by the three persons against the company, affirmed the judgment of the justice's court as to Mr. Owens and Mike Catalina for $65 and $75 respectively, and gave Mrs. Owens judgment for $375. She asked for $5000.

ORDER REVIEW WRIT.

Appellate Court Takes Initial Step in Kern County Recall Matter.

In the action brought by the Consolidated Lumber Company against the Superior Court of Los Angeles County and Judges Jackson and Myers, the District Court of Appeal yesterday discharged the alternative writ and also the petition for a peremptory writ, requiring the lower court to show cause why it should not be prohibited from proceeding further in the action of this company against F. A. Shorey.

The District Court of Appeal affirmed the judgment of Superior Judge Wellborn in favor of the plaintiff in the suit brought by the Compton Land Company against John A. Vaughan and Henry S. Woolner, involving the purchase of a piece of real estate at Compton for an aggregate value of $28,000.

In the case of Barclay McCowan against the clerk of Kern county the District Court of Appeal ordered a writ of review issued, returnable Monday. The action of the court is in no way determination of the issues involved in the case, which have to do with a recall election in Kern county directed against Mr. McCowan, who is the District Attorney of that county.

SHOW BIG INCREASE.

Payment of Income Taxes Boosts Internal Revenue Receipts.

The February collections of Collector of Internal Revenues Carter amounted to $258,124.38, compared with $207,752.96 for the same period last year, and $156,204.16 for the same period in 1915.

The large increase was due to the payments on account of the income tax, individual and corporation. This is the last day when returns may be made under the income tax law, without the assessment of a penalty.

NEWMAN CLUB DINNER.

The Newman Club held its monthly dinner at the Hotel Clark Tuesday evening and Charles C. Conroy read an interesting paper on "Some Pages from Mexican History." Forty members were present.

The Public Service.

At the Courthouse.

TOOK HIS FAMILY DUTIES LIGHTLY?

YALE MAN SPENT NEARLY ALL HIS MONEY ON SELF.

Testimony of Father Wins Alimony Decree for Wife, Who Alleges Husband not Only Did not Support Her, but Left for East Without Saying Good-by.

Harry Russ Peterson, a Yale man, was characterized in Judge York's court yesterday by his father-in-law, Charles Conners, an attorney, as having an overweening idea of his duty as a husband. It was also stated that he spent most of the money he earned on himself for dress. He married Elizabeth C. Peterson in this city, August 3, 1914, and they lived together less than a year.

Mrs. Peterson stated that since their daughter, Margaret, was born Mr. Peterson has seen her but once, and has contributed but $25 for the support of his family. He is now said to be in New York, and before leaving he wrote a laconic note:

"I am going East. Here endeth the first lesson."

Mrs. Peterson, who was represented by Attorney C. A. Stice, obtained a decree, an order for $15 a month for the child and $15 a month for herself, which Mr. Peterson will have to pay if he returns to this county.

MARRIED EARLY, REPENTS AT LEISURE.

The saying, "marry young and be happy," does not apply to Mrs. Irene Wolff, for, while she carried out the first injunction, she is not happy, according to her complaint for separate maintenance, which was filed yesterday through Attorney W. A. Gaines. The bride was 17 years of age when she married Louis Wolff. They lived together until last Thursday, when she says her husband drove her from their apartments at Fifty-second and Towne avenue, refused to allow her to return, and will make no allowance for her maintenance.

Mrs. Wolff admits she was young and inexperienced when she married and never had to earn her living. Now she claims she is in need of medical attention.

IN AND OUT ABOUT THE COURTS.

WINS DECREE. Mrs. Nellie Edwards, whose father was Jacob Frankenfield, a prominent investor, was granted a decree of divorce from John W. Edwards by Judge Wood yesterday. The Edwards have been married about fourteen years. They separated about four years ago. Mrs. Edwards testified that her husband deserted her, and alleged that troubles were due to quarrels over money matters. She is worth approximately $100,000.

AWARDED DAMAGES. Miss Grace Gould, who sued Mrs. J. A. Parish for $1000 damages for slapping her piquant face in a controversy over the sale of hosiery in a Broadway store, was awarded $300 damages by Judge Finlayson yesterday, $100 of which was by way of punishment. The two women appear to be rivals, and, while Mrs. Parish denied she slapped the younger woman, the preponderance of evidence was that she did.

NEVER QUARRELED. Edward R. Schlitz, a San Diego policeman, told his wife to go home to her mother. This much was admitted by Mrs. Bessie M. Schlitz in Judge Wood's court yesterday in her suit for divorce, but, as it was stated the couple had not quarreled, the court took the case under advisement, not being certain that he would be justified in granting a decree. Mr. Schlitz did not contest the suit.

DAMAGE SUIT. Miss Alaine Griffin Duval, a stenographer, who was seriously injured, she claims, when she fell through an opening in the sidewalk, brought suit against Boos Bros. and the Newmarket Company for $15,000 damages yesterday, alleging negligence. The accident happened on the 9th inst., and was the result of the trap doors being raised to allow meat to be lowered into the basement of Boos Bros.' cafeteria by employees of the Newmarket Company.

INCORPORATIONS. The Junk Peddlers' Protective Association of Los Angeles, incorporators Nathan Rubin, J. Stein, N. Nessoff, H. Lassman, B. Gebbe, R. Licker, S. Braer, P. Citren, J. Pearlman, Max Fischer, Sam Rubin, Leo Stollnitz and F. Pyne; the C. H. Carter Motor Car Company, incorporators C. H. Carter, B. H. Carter and H. V. Carter, capital stock $25,000, subscribed $300; the Howard Rose Company, incorporators Charles Howard, Ernest Lindquist and Gertrude Howard, capital stock $20,000, subscribed $10,000; the Elite Button Company, incorporators Fred W. Briggs, Jerome W. Briggs and Tressa Briggs, capital stock $10,000, subscribed $300.

For Morality Laws.

LOS ANGELES, Feb. 27.—[To the Editor of The Times:] In reference to articles in your paper on the injustice done women in the courts and the condition of the City Jail, I have a few suggestions to make that I hope will help women think for themselves.

The first thing to be done to right the wrong and injustice to women is to pass laws making it legal to physically penalize men who violate laws that should be held sacred. Then let the judges of the court enforce these laws to the letter, and the world will find there will be no need of building detention and correction houses. Instead, there should be schools where boys and girls and men and women can be taught to be self-supporting.

It has come under my observation that the worst offenders are married men who have families, but have grown tired of their over-burdened wives, although these same wives are still at their posts, fulfilling their duties as best they can, mending, sewing, cooking, training their children, sending them to school, economizing and counting pennies that their husbands' incomes or salaries may met the necessary expenses. And these are the women that men grow tired of, and leave to go in search of prey.

If laws were passed as I suggest it would mean women and girls would be left unmolested and that these same men could continue at their work and be better able to care for the families for which they were already responsible.

ANITA FERNANDEZ.

At the City Hall.

FIVE PLANS FOR PROPOSED BRIDGE.

STRUCTURE AT WILMINGTON TO BE CONSIDERED.

San Pedro Chamber of Commerce to be Represented at Meeting in Council Chamber Today—Fred Garbutt Offers to Run Team Ferry Between Two Places.

Five plans for the proposed bridge to connect Wilmington and San Pedro will be considered at a meeting of the Harbor Committee of the Council this morning. Chairman Langdon has invited representatives of the San Pedro Chamber of Commerce and all interested parties to attend. The meeting will be held in the Council Chamber at 11 o'clock.

The plans were prepared by Assistant Harbor Engineer S. A. Jubb. One contemplates using the ordinary type of wooden swing bridge of 150 feet span, giving a clear waterway of 135 feet. The approximate cost is $39,000, and the cost of operation and repairs would be $8500 a year.

The second proposal is for a lift bridge to cost approximately $37,-000. Another bridge is suggested which could be so fixed as to rotate about one corner. It would cost $40,000 and maintenance and repairs would amount to about $10,000 a year.

Another proposal is for a ferry-boat, to operate from Smith's Island to Pier "A," the cost of which is estimated at $32,000 and maintenance $12,000 annually. Chairman Langdon states that Fred Garbutt has offered to run a team ferry between Pier "A" and Fifth street, San Pedro. In this connection Engineer Jubb estimates a team ferry would cost approximately $17,500 and maintenance and repairs would cost approximately $12,500 a year.

POWER PLANS. CHAMBER'S REQUEST.

The City Council has taken no action regarding the resolution passed by the Board of Public Service Commissioners on the power matter. President Betkouski said yesterday that no conference has been arranged as far as the Council is concerned. The Chamber of Commerce directors yesterday passed a resolution urging the city authorities and the power companies to continue their efforts to reach an agreement. They said:

"We understand that the city authorities and the electric power companies are undecided as to just what action to take in the matter of handling the power from the city that will soon be available." Unless an agreement can be completed for the purchase of the local distributing systems, the city will face the undesirable alternative of leasing its power to the power companies, or paralleling their lines. The first alternative we believe to be against the city's best interests and contrary to its settled policy. The second would be an economic blunder, unfair to invested capital and unprofitable to the taxpayers."

IN EFFECT TODAY. NEW TAX ASSESSMENT.

The ordinance providing for the county taking over the duty of assessing property in the city for taxation purposes goes into effect today. It means that one force will do the work which formerly required two forces.

The ordinance provides that the City Assessor's office will be abolished Monday. The Tax Collector's office will not be abolished until August 1.

Fish for Orphans.

Mayor Woodman yesterday instructed Secretary Glen MacWilliams to send to charitable institutions the 2000 pounds of fish which were forwarded to him from Santa Monica. Market Superintendent Britt took the fish to the Los Angeles Orphan Asylum and the Los Angeles Sheltering Home for the Aged.

Fifty-three Now.

Two more Councilmanic candidates appeared yesterday, making fifty-three in all. The new aspirants are Gabor Hegyi, realty man, of No. 1723 North Wilton place, and Lucius C. Dale, No. 339 North Fickett street.

Will Repair Sewer.

The Council yesterday ordered $15,620 transferred from the general expense fund to the City Engineer's fund for the outfall sewer, the money to be used in repairing the break in the vicinity of Inglewood.

Investigate Billboards.

The secret service fund of City Prosecutor Williams was increased by $200 yesterday to pay for the services of an investigator to check advertising upon billboards. The Council authorized the appropriation.

City Hall Notes.

Dr. Powers, health commissioner, yesterday reported to the Council with references to providing for thorough inspection of the places were fish are received. The matter was referred to the Finance Committee.

The Board of Public Works was authorized to advertise for bids for the collection and disposal of garbage in the San Pedro district.

Bequests.

LEAVES LARGE ESTATE.

Fred F. Wheeler, Prominent Prohibitionist and Former City Official, Remembers Many Persons, Including Brother and Sister.

In the will of Fred F. Wheeler, prominent Prohibitionist and former president of the Board of Public Utilities, which was filed for probate yesterday, he declared that while he desired to care for and protect his children, it was also his desire that his children should care for and assist his brothers and sister, "if adversity overtakes them."

Mr. Wheeler cancels the indebtedness of his brother, Milton I. Wheeler, to himself, and makes the following bequests: Mrs. Allie S. Wheeler, the widow, $100 a month during life; $50 a month each to his daughters and son, Alice W. Worthington, Effie A. Wheeler and Herbert A. Wheeler; $1000 to Paul F. Oswald, a grandson, upon his arriving of age; $25 a month to Mary E. Stewart of Berkeley, a sister. The residue is left in trust to the Title Insurance and Trust Company.

Elegance.

BANK TO OPEN ITS NEW HOME.

Security National to Show its Fine Modern Quarters.

Public to Inspect Structure Saturday Afternoon.

Latest Features in Finish and Fixtures.

Saturday afternoon marks the opening of one of the finest banking buildings in the United States, when the Security National Bank will move into its handsome new quarters on Spring street at Fifth. From 3 to 9 p.m. the public will be given an opportunity to inspect the beautiful interior of the bank.

The new building is of class A construction, the frame consisting of steel, fireproofed with terra cotta tile and concrete, with floors and roof of the same material. The front is of Stonington pink granite, the same as was used in the new Boston Art Museum, which is considered one of the most beautiful buildings in the United States. The street front is of classic design, in the Ionic order, the architectural expression being that of a substantial banking structure, eliminating all frivolous ornaments or trimmings, and confining the treatment, both of the interior and exterior, to that of a dignified, up-to-date building for banking purposes.

The walls, from floor to ceiling, are covered with English vein white Italian marble of Ionic design, with a red Numidian marble base. The counters, counter fronts and lobby check desks are in red Numidian marble, and the counter screens in bronze, carrying out the same design as in the Security Trust and Savings Bank.

White opalescent art glass comprises the ceiling of the banking-room, with a classical scroll ornament in amber color, and surrounded by a cornice. Thus the room is flooded with natural light, at the same time being great freedom from any shadow, a soft, even light prevailing throughout the day.

There are four vaults of the most modern construction, and in the basement are located a directors' room, storage-room, book vault, locker-rooms, etc.

The rear fifty feet of the building extends to a height of five stories, the four upper stories of which are to be occupied by various departments of the Security Trust and Savings Bank.

Testamentary.

FORTUNE VANISHES?

Man Who Occupied Handsome Oak Knoll Home Leaves but One Hundred Dollars, According to Will, Which Makes Widow Beneficiary.

The will of Andrew L. Fennessy of Oak Knoll, Pasadena, which was filed for probate yesterday, makes the widow, Arietta H. Fennessy, the sole beneficiary. Mr. Fennessy died several weeks ago, leaving Andrew L. Fennessy of Santa Monica and Frederick A. Fennessy of Honolulu, sons. The petition states that there is in California only a small amount of personal property, of a value not exceeding $100. Mr. Fennessy occupied a handsome home in Oak Knoll and was considered wealthy.

Another.

MAKES GRAVE CLAIMS.

Man who Bought Two Thousand Shares of Llano del Rio Stock Files Suit, Charging Representatives with Intent to Deceive Him.

In a suit against the Llano del Rio Company and Job Harriman, chief of the so-called Socialistic colony near Palmdale, which was filed yesterday, Charles E. Randall, who bought 2000 shares, making a first payment of $500, and seeks to recover that amount, claims the stock is only "valuable in so far as it enables the holder to become a member of the colony." Mr. Randall alleges he was induced to buy the stock by certain representations. These he now says are false and were made with the intent to deceive him.

Under the alleged representations, he was entitled to continued employment, a minimum wage of $4 a day, food, clothing and other necessaries, and was to be assigned to no hard, manual labor, but work he had been accustomed to. It was also agreed, he alleges, that any time he desired to sell his stock, the company would try to dispose of it. The suit was prepared by Attorneys Bowen and Baille.

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TRIBUTE PAID TO JAMES G. BLAINE.

MAINE PEOPLE ARE TOLD OF HIS LIFE AND LABORS.

At State Society Meeting Col. Thomas Fitch Recalls how Much California Owes to One of the Noblest of Pine-tree Commonwealth's Sons.

The Maine State Society met Tuesday night in The Times Assembly Rooms and, after a varied programme, in which many of her sons paid their respects to a commonwealth that has contributed much to the progress of the nation, Col. Thomas Fitch delivered an address in which he traced the life, character and achievements of one of Maine's noblest sons, James G. Blaine. He concluded his review of Blaine's life and character as follows:

"Blaine was always beloved of Californians. He stood like a mailed warrior at the threshold of the worker's home and guarded it from the gaunt, devouring devils of poverty and hunger who were lying in wait behind the ambush of a revenue reform. He would have suffered his fingers to be smitten with palsy rather than permit them to write an argument to deny the nation's bounty to the humblest soldier who followed the nation's flag to wounds and death. He did not fear to outstretch the strong arm of Federal power to protect from plunder and assault any American on the seas whose business might call him to a foreign and inhospitable shore. When the march to the ballot box of any citizen in any part of the republic was impeded by conspiring ruffians he was willing to say with the voice of a nation, 'Let that man pass to the polls.'

"California ever followed Blaine's standard with enthusiasm, with courage and with hope. His was a name of names, potent as a sorceress to charm and claim her, shining in her sky like a fixed star, brighter to her than all the blazing planets of space. California was ever loyal to her friend, and when the hovering swarm of Asiatic locusts was threatening her industries, dishonoring her labor and blighting the future of her boys and girls she turned to the statesmen of the land and asked them to aid her by lawful means to escape the impending peril. But many of the heats of council were filled with men who were hot with the high and human impulse which the destruction of human slavery had engendered. They were misinformed concerning the conditions. They did not seem to comprehend that between claims of a faithful race to whom the nation owed a vast debt of expiation and those of remote and alien subjects of a foreign despotism there was a gulf wide as the western sea.

"In the face of this, one man there was whose eagle gaze reached beyond mountain and desert and beheld the needs and the greatness of the Pacific land. One man there was who had the prescience to know that the principle of protection to American labor involved not merely a protective tariff on foreign products, but prohibitory laws against the incoming of Chinese serfs. He came to the help of California. He influenced others to help her. He saved her from stagnation and sorrow. He saved her from pestilence and blight and he won from her a mighty love whose tide has never had a refluent wave."

Col. Fitch closed his address with a patriotic utterance anent the present crisis that won much applause.

County Hospital.

MEDICAL DIRECTOR TO SUE LURID NEWSPAPER.

DR. C. H. WHITMAN, medical director of the County Hospital, appeared before the Board of Supervisors yesterday and announced his intention to file suit immediately against the Record for an alleged libelous article published yesterday charging that "murder has been repeatedly done at the County Hospital;" "patients killed by brutality" and "butchered by ignorant interns."

Dr. Whitman said there is no truth in the charges. The members of the board gave their moral support to the medical directors. Supervisor Dodge, in whose charge the county institutions are, declared that the County Hospital has won a high place among similar institutions throughout the country and that its standing is the result of Dr. Whitman's intelligent and incessant work.

The Civil Service Commission caused subpoenas to be issued yesterday for R. R. Ardell, Robert E. Webb, F. A. Wright, Con Carroll, P. D. Peterson, Frank L. Anker and Frank Clark to appear before it this morning in investigations growing out of reports of discourteous treatment at the County Hospital. Dr. Whitman and Dr. Telford will also appear. These reports were made by two patients. The investigations were instigated by Supervisor Dodge, who believes the doctors will be convincingly exonerated.

Heiress.

HAPPILY MARRIED, NOW GETS SIZABLE FORTUNE

ONE of the trust provisions of the will of the late Charles A. Canfield, wealthy oil man, was that if Dorothy Canfield, his daughter, "is worthily married" in the judgment of his executrix and executor, Florence E. Whitney and J. M. Danziger, after she attained the age of 21 and before she was 30, there shall be distributed to her one-half of a trust fund set aside in the hands of the Security Trust and Savings Bank.

On September 27, 1915, Mrs. Whitney and Mr. Danziger notified the trustee that Dorothy was happily married and had attained the age of 21, and, in accordance with the provision, the trustee filed the first accounting in the Probate Court. This Judge Rives approved yesterday.

Dorothy Canfield, who is now Dorothy Canfield Chesebine, is entitled to receive $188,460.84, according to the account, and delivery will be made under the order of the court.

The will of Jotham Bixby, "Father of Long Beach," who died February 9, was probated in Judge Rives's court yesterday through Attorney Henry O'Melveny. The bulk of the estate, approximated at $1,500,000, was bequeathed the children, George, Jotham, Jr., and Fannie and Harry L. Bixby, a grandson. Very little real estate is included in the property he left.

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HUNT ASSAILANT.

Search for Man Who with Kitchen Knife Fatally Stabbed Woman Partner Here Will be Made All Over the Country, Police Assert.

Los Angeles police officers yesterday started a search, which may become nation-wide, for Arno Getz, an Arizona miner, alleged to have fatally stabbed Mrs. Esther Walls in a rooming-house three weeks ago.

Mrs. Walls, who was divorced from her husband, was a partner of Getz in the rooming-house, in a motion-picture theater in Arizona and in certain San Pedro real estate. They quarreled, it is alleged, over business matters, and Mrs. Walls was stabbed in the chest with a kitchen knife. Her wounds were not regarded as serious at first, and she was taken to the home of her mother, Mrs. E. D. McLellan of No. 445 Nineteenth street, San Pedro, to be nursed.

Complications set in, and she was removed to a hospital here last Friday for an operation. She died before it could be performed. Yesterday a Coroner's jury gave a verdict of homicidal death due to exhaustion.

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HIS WORK IS ENDED.

Druggist Who Occupied One Location Here for Seventeen Years Dies After Active Business Career — Body will be Buried Saturday.

John U. Bodenmann, the druggist, died at his residence, No. 1324 Kellam avenue, yesterday morning. Mr. Bodenmann, who was located at Temple street and Broadway for seventeen years, was born at Stein, Switzerland, August 9, 1855, and graduated from a school of pharmacy at Zurich in 1877. He arrived in New York two years later and spent several years as a drug clerk in Ohio and Mexico, later engaging in business for himself in San Antonio, Tex.

Mr. Bodenmann made eleven sea voyages, having crossed to Europe 9 times. He spent two years in the Klondike. He was a member of the Eagles, Modern Woodmen of America and the Turnverein Germania. He leaves a widow, who was Miss Ida M. Sherrard of Fremont, O., and one son. Funeral services will be conducted by Rev. John A. Loeffler Saturday at 2 o'clock p.m. in the chapel of Garrett & Co., No. 1237 South Flower street.

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NUMEROUS COMPLAINTS.

The County Civil Service Commission will meet today in regular session to consider numerous complaints regarding men connected with the service. The nature of the complaints has been a subject of public discussion for several weeks, and the commission will determine today whether they have any foundation.

SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA. Long Beach plans to utilize all of the vacant lots this coming season for the purpose of raising a big crop of potatoes.

Teamster in driving from Parker to Needles runs across a mutilated body of an unknown man.

Electric train crushes a Chinese baby which had been thrown out of an automobile.

PACIFIC SLOPE. Three thousand

HINT TO READERS: It is a mistake to [illegible] even the greatest part of the news important which cannot be. Consult the Index and paper—all the parts—and then get all the news

FRIDAY MORNING.

WILSO

Show-down.

JAP POLICY CLARIFIED

Plot Expose Boo to the Nation.

Tokio Would Have Spurne Berlin Intrigue had She Known of It.

Kaiser Charged with Failur of Mexican Negotiations at Atlantic City.

BY JOHN CALLAN O'LAUGHLIN
[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

WASHINGTON BUREAU O THE TIMES, March 1.—The revelation of Germany's plot to involve the United States with Japan and Mexico this morning has produced results of the utmost importance to the nation.

First—It has brought assurances that Japan knew nothing about the German proposal and if she had been approached, she would have rejected it without consideration.

Second—It has disposed of the idea that Japan would support the Carranza government of Mexico in making war upon the United States.

Third—It has made apparent that without actual foreign support the Carranza government could not and would not dare to make war upon the United States.

Fourth—It has made impossible the success of the secret and confidential attempt on the part of Foreign Secretary Zimmermann to disrupt the existing alliance of Japan with Great Britain, Russia, France and Italy and to promote a new alliance against the United States. So much for the foreign situation.

President Wilson has advised the

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THE SKY. Clear. Wind at 5 p. m., southwest; velocity 8 miles. Thermometer, highest, 62 deg.; lowest, 43 deg. Forecast: Fair Friday, with heavy frost in morning. For complete weather report see last page of Part I.

THE CITY. While reading a dissolution pronunciamento the general superintendent of the Pentecostal Church of the Nazarene was manhandled by an angered congregation.

A child died, another was in danger of death, and four adults were violently ill as a result of eating toadstools by mistake.

For the sake of a ring it bore a woman's finger, cut off in an automobile accident, was stolen by a bystander.

A weighty leg iron was just avoided by a scribe arrested here on a charge of having libeled former Gov. Otero of New Mexico.

Charged with having invited a husband to fight with his fists for possession of his wife, a policeman was suspended pending inquiry.

The Federal commissioner sent to Europe on business connected with reorganizing the Western Pacific returned after thrilling experiences.